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ELKS PREPARING TO PAY TRIBUTE TO DEAD MEMBERS.

Memorial Services This Year to Be More Impressive Than Ever.

SOISSON THEATRE ENGAGED.

Sunday December 6, is Date Settled Upon and Several Prominent Speakers Have Been Engaged to Make Addresses.

All preparations have been completed by the members of Connellsville Lodge No. 503, B. P. O. Elks for the observance of Memorial Day, Sunday, December 6. The services will be held in the Soisson theatre, commencing at 3.30 o'clock, and it is expected that they will be largely attended.

The committee in charge of the services this year has taken extra pains and made great efforts to make this service one of the largest that has ever been held. The services have been held annually for many years and have attracted widespread attention. This year the orators will be Leo F. O'Brien of McKeesport and E. W. Clarke of Latrobe. Both of them are orators of note.

The services will be of a public character and while invitations will be issued a general invitation is extended to the public to take part in the honoring of the dead brothers of the order. This year the list has been increased to 13 deceased members and they will be represented by candles upon the stage. The deceased of the lodge are: H. E. Stout, W. A. Davidson, James B. Echard, J. Emmet Stillwagon, M. K. Smith, W. D. Anderson, C. L. Clarke, B. F. Wier, A. J. Stout, B. F. Jones, Q. Marietta, S. R. Mason, W. H. Brown and C. W. Thompson.

The following is the program as arranged by the committee:

Funeral March ..... Chopin
Kiferle's Orchestra.
Reverie ..... Roberts
Kiferle's Orchestra.
Opening Ceremonies, J. B. Millard, E. R.
Soprano solo, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" ..... Boex
Mrs. Chas. E. Stout.
General Eulogy ... Mr. Leo F. O'Brien
McKeesport, Pa.
Solo, "O' Master, Take Me Through the Gate" ..... Voon
Mr. Jas. B. Millard.
Eulogy ..... Mr. E. W. Clarke
Latrobe, Pa.
Soprano Solo, "Calvary" .... Rodney
Mrs. G. Sherrick Enos.
Closing Ceremonies ..... Lodge
Intermezzo from Cavalleria Rusticana ..... P. Mascagni
Kiferle's Orchestra.
Miss Pearle Keck, accompanist.

The members of the order will meet at the home at 1.30 and march to the theatre in a body.

HE HAS NO FEAR.

Harry Best Not Afraid of Companion's Fate.

Harry Best told Burgess Soisson in police court that he has no fear of following the footsteps of Charles Stemm a fellow bricklayer, who was found dead in the rear of the Soisson building one day last week. Best and Stemm were frequently before the Burgess on charges of intoxication and were close friends.

The Burgess advised Harry to reform and then remanded him to the cells for 48 hours. Like his late comrade, Harry is often drunk but seldom disorderly, and among the officers about the City Hall his word is as good as his bond.

Assault on Steps of Justice.

UNIONTOWN, Nov. 24.—Amos Young, colored, selected a bad place to assault James Coulson because his victim fell down the steps into the doorway of Justice John Boyle's office last night. Justice Boyle rushed to the door, found Coulson bleeding from cuts about the head and recognized his assailant, who was promptly arrested. He now faces charges of assault and robbery.

MT. PLEASANT BANK CASE IS CONTINUED.

Examiner Recites Transactions at Defunct Farmers' and Merchants' Bank.

TELLS OF ACME LUMBER DEAL.

Checks of Company Were Carried as Cash By Bank and This Was Undoubtedly Cause of Closing Doors.

Special to The Courier.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 24.—The trial of Charles E. Mullen, former cashier of the Farmers & Merchants Bank of Mt. Pleasant was resumed this morning at 10:15 o'clock. Only one witness was examined this morning, Samuel Hann, a bank examiner, having occupied the stand with detail matters nearly all morning. He stated that he had spent 17 years examining banks and banking matters. He gave a detailed description of individual checks and overdrafts, and spoke of the manner in which the individual checks of the Acme Lumber Company had been carried as cash in the Mt. Pleasant institution. He said it these individual checks had been cash the bank would have had on hand included as cash items $51,240.56 at the time the bank closed its doors in 1907, indicating that the Acme Lumber Company which it is alleged the men being tried were interested had made use of this money on the individual check and overdraft plan. The cross-examination of the examiner began shortly before noon. The first witness called yesterday was A. P. Smith, assistant to National Bank Examiner John B. Cunningham. Mr. Smith testified that he had charge of the assets of the bank for a short time, and that he turned them over to P. J. Murphy, then a bank examiner, who was appointed by the comptroller of the currency to the receivership of the bank.

Mr. Murry testified he had taken charge of the bank October 20. He was called upon later to identify $52,000 worth of checks, which had been carried as cash items in the bank and which it is said had not been charged against the account of the Acme Lumber Company, the drawers.

In answer to a question as to whether or not the three defendants knew of the conditions of these checks and that they were almost wholly overdraft, Mr. Murray stated that he had at different times talked with the defendants in regard to them, and that in his opinion, they knew the condition in which the paper was carried.

The defense is represented by Attorneys James S. Moorehead and Robert M. Smith, while the interest of the Government is being looked after by Assistant United States Attorney Robert M. Gibson, H. G. Murray, receiver of the bank, and Samuel M. Hann, a National bank examiner.

The failure of the Farmers' and Merchants National bank and the subsequent arrest of Cashier Charles E. Mullin, President R. K. Hissom and E. H. Steinman, President of the Acme Lumber & Supply Company, and a number of enterprises affiliated with it, were the results in a way of the general financial depression which swept over the country a year ago, robbing the Steinman industries of their incoming cash. To protect themselves as long as possible, it is alleged that the officers of the bank who were heavily interested in the various Mullin enterprises, permitted the account of the Acme Lumber & Supply Company to be overdrawn to meet the payrolls and the floating debt.

The alleged defalcations consisted in Cashier Mullin honoring the check of the Acme Lumber & Supply Company long after their balance had been exhausted, and until the amount owed the bank totaled $240,000. Steinman and Mullin were put under bond during the past summer and were out on $10,000 each. R. K. Hissem, the aged President of the bank, is a wealthy farmer. He is said to have lost directly and indirectly by his connection

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MEN PREFERRING COAL SHOVEL TO THROTTLE RETURNED TO THEIR OLD RUNS ON B. & O. TODAY.

Firemen in Employ of Road Many Years Laid Off Because They Did Not Want to Be Extra Engineers Go Back to Old Jobs.

Back on their old runs this morning were found many of the old time firemen, who would not accept a promotion, and preferring the shoveling of coal on their preferred runs rather than taking care of the throttle. From orders issued from the various Baltimore & Ohio offices at least 40 firemen who have been regulars for years took their old places today.

This question of railroading is an annual disturbance. The men back of the old time firemen, who prefer to hold their positions on regular runs, particularly those of passenger firemen where the work is regular and the time is good, have always tried to shove those fellows out of their positions to the place of extra engineers.

These old firemen who like their positions are acquainted with their work and its regularity, and many of them have established homes at their lay over points at night, have persistently and continuously denied the right to be promoted to engineers with the possibility of at sometime getting a regular run. The company has at all times acknowledged their right of remaining in their positions, feeling that the longer a man was in one regular position, and especially in a position of responsibility as a passenger fireman the better he was qualified for the position.

The fight has been stirred up almost every six months and at least every year, and a determined effort made to oust the old time firemen. The last effort of the organizations laid the firemen off several days, but it seems that the question as to whether they should accept a promotion to extra engineer has again been decided in their favor, as the company issued orders yesterday afternoon that all the firemen return to work, and this morning the old fellows were found shoveling coal as the trains pulled into the station.

It is claimed that the firemen are not ambitious to take the throttle from the fact that the runs are regular and the time made is good. They know approximately how much money they will make every month, and know that if there is any cause for delay to their trains they will make a little extra. One of those firemen on a passenger train last month made $131. This is considered excellent wages by the railroad men, and although had this fireman been an engineer he would have probably made $160 in the same time he is willing and prefers to take his chances as a fireman with a regular position as compared to the big and the little wages which come to the engineer.

STATE VETERINARIAN ISSUES STATEMENT.

Makes Recommendations for Abatement of Mouth and Foot Disease Among Cattle.

State Veterinarian Leonard Pearson has issued recommendations looking to an abatement of the foot and mouth diseases which have broken out among the cattle of the State. Mr. Pearson says:

It is of greatest importance that outbreaks shall be promptly reported, so that all necessary precautions may be taken. Reports should be sent by telegraph, charges collect, to the State Veterinarian at Harrisburg. All citizens should consider it their duty to make such reports, in the interests of the public welfare. Just at this time, any unusual disease affecting the mouths or feet of cattle should be regarded with suspicion. If such disease spreads from animal to animal there can be little doubt as to its nature.

In repressing this disease the United States Department of Agriculture is co-operating and is assisting the State Livestock Sanitary Board. As a result of such co-operation it is possible to pay to owners full value for all cattle that may have to be destroyed on account of this disease provided the owners co-operate with the public authorities and do their part to prevent the further spread of infection.

Every veterinary practitioner and every cattle owner should be exceedingly alert to detect the first evidence of this disease and to report it. Where cattle are known to be affected, visitors should be kept away for the disease is and that may easily be conveyed by persons who have been in contact with or near affected animals. Persons who are known to have been on infected premises should be debarred from places where cattle are kept until after their clothing has been disinfected.

The disease is one that causes enormous losses and must be dealt with in a firm and effective way.

GARBAGE PILES ON RIVER GROW LARGER.

Health Officer Hyatt Declares New Haven People Are Lacking in Civic Pride.

Health Officer Allen Hyatt this morning said some things about New Haven people who are spoiling the view of the banks along the Yough river right in front of Connellsville. About 20 garbage piles that have been increasing in size along the river bank every day was the cause for his remarks. He stated that the people of New Haven had no civic pride from the fact that while the majority of the residents of that town could not see the garbage piles, the people of Connellsville had to look at them all the time and they were neither a good or healthful advertisement.

Since the river has been low the garbage dumps along the New Haven side of the river have accumulated and it is feared that they will remain there until the spring freshet before they are removed. Health Officer Hyatt is thinking seriously of telling State Health Commissioner Dixon about it but he says he don't like to hand New Haven a knock.

Guardian Is Appointed.

UNIONTOWN, Nov. 24.—Mrs. John Shovel of Edenborn wants a guardian appointed for her husband, an inmate of Dixmont, in order to recover the $900 found upon him when taken to that institution. Mrs. Shovel wants to go with her three children, back to the old country.

Appeal From Verdict Filed.

UNIONTOWN, Nov. 24.—An appeal from the verdict in favor of the defendant company has been filed through Attorney R. S. Matthews for the Abraham Cox Stove Company in its suit against Fitzmier & Company for $67.97.

Smoke Disappearing.

The smoke which has been enveloping the region for several days is disappearing.

POLICE WILL GET NEW EQUIPMENT.

Maces, Badges and Other Things Needed to Be Purchased.

HEAVIER CLUBS SUGGESTED.

Chief Rettler Makes Suggestion That Officers Be Required to Leave Forfeit for Equipment Delivered to Them Upon Being Engaged.

Councilman D. F. Girard went to Pittsburg this morning for the purpose of purchasing a new supply of maces, badges and other paraphernalia needed by the police force. There is a shortage of this material and new supplies were in demand.

Some months ago the Police Committee purchased a quantity of material but it proved unsatisfactory. The maces were of too light construction to stand constant contact with the hardened heads of the chronic inebriates, and as a consequence many of them split and became useless. A number of badges were purchased at the same time but these became lost. The electric flashlights of which there were at one time at least half a dozen have either disappeared or been damaged until but two serviceable lamps remain.

Chief of Police Rettler this morning offered a suggestion in police court that Council may take up at a later date. Chief Rettler thinks special policeman should be required to post a forfeit for the safe return of all paraphernalia supplied them, this money to be returned when the goods are brought back and placed in the hands of the Burgess.

Chief Rettler urged upon Councilman Girard the necessity of getting heavy maces, claiming these are the only kinds to stand the strain. The purchase of unsatisfactory goods by former Councilmen had resulted in a loss to the borough as the goods failed to stand the strain.

TOTS FRIGHTENED AS HAWK SMASHES GLASS.

Big Bird Throws Itself Against Window and School is Almost Stampeded.

A school room of excited children resulted yesterday afternoon at the Second Ward school building when a big chicken hawk flew up against the window of the room, smashed the glass and fell stunned upon the floor. The little folks were plodding away at their lessons when the big bird, who it is believed was in pursuit of a sparrow, made his dive through the window and with the smashing of the glass and the falling of the bird nearly all of them were on their feet, ready for a stampede.

Janitor M. J. Henle, who was working about the building, thought that some one had thrown a stone through the window and went to investigate. The bird was lying upon the floor partially stunned and when he grasped it it flew about the room, but he finally captured it. The bird was imprisoned in a box and is now on exhibition at the school. It is said that an active study of birds of prey has been started in the room and everyone is interested.

Weather.

Rain tonight. Wednesday rain or snow and colder, is the indication at noon.

MINISTER NEARLY SAWS HIS ARM OFF.

Rev. Seaman Catches Hand in Saw and Has Narrow Escape From Bleeding to Death.

Rev. A. R. Seaman of South Connellsville has been the victim of a series of bad accidents, the most serious of which occurred Saturday afternoon which nearly resulted in a severed arm, or even more serious results. Rev. Seaman was cutting beave slats on a circular saw driven by gasoline power. In some manner his left arm was caught by the saw and before he could pull it away, the steel had penetrated nearly half way through the wrist, severing one of the main arteries.

With remarkable presence of mind Rev. Seaman turned the power off and went to the house, leaving behind him a trail of blood which spurted from the wound. He got as far as the kitchen, told his wife to summon a doctor as quickly as possible, and then fainted away. The timely arrival of Mrs. Hetrick, who heard of the accident and who applied a tourniquet above the injury, prevented serious consequences that might have followed the loss of blood.

Dr. Churchill arrived in a short time after the accident and dressed the wound. It was necessary to take nine stitches in the wound. Not only was the artery severed, but the bone was cut nearly half way through. It will be several weeks before the wound can heal.

Seven weeks ago, almost to the very hour of this last injury, Rev. Seaman, while chestnutting, fell upon a jagged rock and fractured several ribs.

JURY FAILS TO FIX ACCIDENTS CAUSE.

Investigation Into Explosion at Simpson Mine By Coroner Does Not Thrown Light Upon Affair.

An inquest into the death of Eugene Campbell, who was killed in an explosion at a shaft in Simpson mines, along the Monongahela railroad, failed to fix cause of accident. A mass of evidence was submitted regarding the explosion but it could not be determined what was the real cause of the accident. Testimony was given that a blast had been fired at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening, and that the accident occurred on Friday morning, and the general opinion was that some unexploded nitro-glycerine became mixed with the muck which was being raised in buckets.

After a brief discussion on the explosion the jury, composed of M. A. Kiefer, S. E. Frock, J. S. Albright, A. J. Bowers, E. A. Hibbs and S. J. Morrow returned the following verdict:

"From the evidence we find that Eugene Campbell came to his death as a result of an explosion in a new shaft at Simpson, Friday morning about 1 o'clock. The cause of the explosion unexplained by the testimony of the witnesses."

Coroner Harry J. Bell and Deputy Coroner George C. Evans had charge of the inquest.

JUDGE STECK DEAD.

Former Greensburg Man Dies in Denver After Public Career.

GREENSBURG, Nov. 24.—Word has been received here of the death in Denver of Judge Amos Steck, a native of Greensburg. He was third mayor of Denver and while the fiftieth anniversary of that city was being celebrated he passed away. Born in Greensburg in 1822, Judge Steck was the oldest living ex-mayor of Denver, its first postmaster, served in the upper house of the territorial legislature, was county judge for Arapahoe county and practiced law until his retirement 10 years ago.

THOUSANDS OF TURKEYS HERE.

Town Has Enough to Supply Two for Every Family.

THEY ARE STILL ARRIVING.

Five Hundred Crates Arrived Here Yesterday and Prevailing Prices of Live Weight Is 16 Cents—Dealers Are Overstocked With Fowl.

Two turkeys for every family in Connellsville!

There are enough to go around if the purchasers come to the front, according to the estimate made by one of a satistical mind this morning. And his figures look reasonable.

Within the past two days over 500 crates of turkeys have been shipped into town from the mountain districts. This does not include those farmers brought in and dressed fowls secured from other points. Since yesterday morning the Mountain Association has brought 500 crates of turkeys from Confluence, Meyersdale and other points in Somerset county, the big turkey market of the Connellsville region.

These crates will average 10 turkeys each. Some of them have eight, others ten, many a dozen while many more were big double-decked affairs containing from 20 to 30 birds.

The rush was so great that the express drivers found it necessary to remove the tops of their wagons and are hauling turkeys that tower a dozen feet above the wagon beds. Old timers say they never before saw such shipments of fowls at this time of the year. From now until Thursday the birds will come into town as fast as they can be sold. With the supply far exceeding the demand prices have collapsed and the bottom is already out of the market. The statistical man who did the figuring estimates that in the past two days 5,000 turkeys have been shipped into Connellsville. He says there are fully 3,000 families in town. It is a safe bet that between now and Thursday more than 1,000 additional birds will swell the number already here.

Although turkeys last year brought from 23 cents up, the dealers this year centered their efforts in keeping the price up to 18 cents. This movement was started by those dealers who had contracted for turkeys at 16 cents a pound. With almost the first consignment of birds the price dropped and has been going down ever since. To-day the prevailing prices are 16 cents, live weight, and 20 cents dressed. Practically every dealer in town has come down to this price, although a few days ago they demanded 18 and 22 cents.

Ducks are selling today for 14 cents while chickens are bringing 13 cents. This is considered high as chickens are selling many places at a much lower figure. When the Mountain Accomodation brings its load of turkeys in tomorrow morning it is likely that the sagging market may break entirely.

It is almost a foregone conclusion that many dealers are going to find themselves overstocked with turkeys. It is likely these birds may be held until Christmas, but at that time they cannot be sold at today's prices excepting at a heavy loss.

WITNESSES SWARM TOWN.

Fayette City Delegation Arrives for Liquor Case Hearing.

UNIONTOWN, Nov. 24.—Fayette City came down to the County Seat on masse this morning to testify or attend the hearing of the 19 defendants from that place charged with illegal liquor selling. The streets are crowded with interested presons and at noon it seemed as though the Grand Opera House would be needed to accomodate the visitors.

The hearing is scheduled at 3 o'clock before Justice Daniel Bierer. There are 19 defendants and 150 witnesses in the case.

YOUGH BOOMERS TO SWOOP DOWN UPON RIVER COMMITTEE.

Will Go to Washington To Make Further Canalization Plea.

WILL TAKE ADDITIONAL DATA.

Committee of Prominent Men Will Be in Position to Bring Matter in Strong Light Before Department Which Will Act Upon Matter.

When the Rivers and Harbors Committee of Congress assembles in Washington on December 9, 10 and 11, it will be stormed by an enthusiastic gathering of Yough river boomers who are going to the National Capital to make themselves heard. B. P. Wallace, President of the Chamber of Commerce, this morning appointed the following delegation to go to Washington to present the claims of Fayette county and especially Connellsville before this noted gathering of men. The committee is composed of the following: Congressman Allen F. Cooper, Fred C. Keighley, B. F. Boyts, Henry P. Snyder, Robert D. North, John Duggan, J. B. Hogg, W. C. Armstrong and M. B. Pryce.

It is proposed that this delegation take with them additional data and information relative to the canalization of the Yough river, supplementing the data furnished the Board of Engineers which met in Connellsville recently. All the information submitted to the Board will be summarized and reduced to a comprehensive pamphlet which can be quickly glanced over and its contents absorbed. The additional data which those who are interested in the scheme will set out in detail and at length and those who go to Washington will be in a position to point out and emphasize the necessity and the value that will accrue from the slackwatering of the Yough river.

At the present time the plans are being shaped up by Mr. Armstrong, and several meetings will be held to perfect the plans. The trip to Washington it is expected will extend over several days.

BOROUGH ENGINEER IS AT SEWAGE GATHERING.

James B. Hogg Attending Harrisburg Board of Trade Banquet and Engineers Club.

James B. Hogg, Borough Engineer, is in Harrisburg as the guest of the Harrisburg Board of Trade, attending an illustrated lecture to be given tonight on "Modern Sewage Disposal Plans of the World," by George W. Fuller, of Herring & Fuller, consulting engineers of New York City, who are recognized authority on the subject. The meeting is under the auspices of the Engineer's Club of Central Pennsylvania and the Harrisburg Board of Trade. The subject of sewage disposal is an interesting one to every municipality of the State, since several of them, Connellsville, Greensburg and Youngwood in this immediate locality, have been directed by the State Department of Health to prepare comprehensive plans in the ultimate expectation of having to build such a plant if the waters into which the town's sewage goes should become cleared at any portion near the town.

Honeymoon Was Short.

UNIONTOWN, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Jessie R. Hemmings has filed a libel in divorce against Clarence E. Hemmings, desertion being charged. They were married in Uniontown in 1902, but he deserted two months later. In 1906 the husband returned but remained only two weeks and then went off again.

Yough River Shows Higher Point Since Melting of Last Week's Snows.

The snow of last week and subsequent thaw has had a tendency to cause the Youghiogheny river to rise to a point higher than at any previous time during the past summer or fall. Not only does the stream appear higher than usual to the casual spectator, but the figures on the water gauge show that there is more water on hand.

The measurement taken this morning showed a record of 6½ inches, while before the snow fell the gauge was two inches. During the long siege of the drouth the indicator dropped to zero and remained there, rising a little during the night only to fall again.

There is now a good bit of water in the river and as a consequence the various water companies are securing a better supply than at any previous time during the past summer.

The Pittsburg division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad has been suffering severely from the shortage of water. With the Yough at low ebb the water contained so much sulphur as to make it unfit for use in the locomotive boilers. As a consequence the road has been hauling water to points where it is most needed. Some of this water was brought from Glenwood, where the supply is fairly pure, while the balance was taken from Connellsville.

Cattle Are Sacrificed for Food in West Virginia on Account of Drouth.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—Hundreds of cattle are being slaughtered by farmers throughout the interior counties of West Virginia by reason of the practically unbroken drouth. During the summer months the farmers were able to secure water for their stock by hauling it from the larger streams, but so many of them have failed that it has become a physical impossibility to haul water, owing to the great distances which it would have to be carried.

Some stock raisers have sold everyhool for exportation but hundreds of small farmers, not able to do this with a few head of cattle, have killed the latter as well as hogs and put the meat down for winter. Many valuable animals have been sacrificed. This condition obtains very generally outside of the counties bordering on the Ohio river and its larger West Virginia tributaries.

Have Not Heard Verdict.

The local police have received no word as yet concerning the disposal of Grover C. Hutton's case by the United States Army. An officer was here investigating the matter a few days ago. Hutton was arrested here as a deserter but it developed that upon the death of his father his services are badly needed at home.

In Social Circles.

Wedding a Tomorrow.

The marriage of Miss Sarah E. Johnston, daughter of James Johnston, of Boyce, Pa., and John O. Galley of Venita, will be solemnized tomorrow afternoon at one o'clock at the home of the bride-elect. Miss Johnston is well known in and about Connellsville, having frequently visited here. She is a niece of Mrs. C. S. Freed and Mr. Josiah Freed of Dunbar township and a cousin of E. J. Smutz of New Haven.

Among the out of town guests who will attend the wedding are Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Freed, Mrs. Josiah Freed of Dunbar township, and Mrs. E. J. Smutz of New Haven. After a wedding trip the young couple will reside in Venita.

Lecture on Italian Life.

A fair sized audience heard Rev. Hector Schisa of Uniontown lecture last evening in the First Baptist church on "Italian Life." The pictures used in the illustrations were splendid and gave a very true representations of Italian life. While not a fluent speaker of the English language, his talk was very entertaining. At the conclusion a silver offering was taken up which will go toward the erection of an orphanage in Uniontown for the Italians.

Arrangements for Dance.

Final arrangements have been completed for the tenth annual Thanksgiving dance of the New Haven firemen to be held on Thursday evening in the New Haven auditorium. Dancing will be indulged in from 8.30 until after midnight. Music by Kiferle's orchestra. Nothing is being left undone by the committee in charge to make the affair a grand success.

Rehearsing for Christmas Cantatas.

Rehearsals are being held by the Sunday schools of the various denominations for the annual Christmas cantatas. At some of the churches the morning services will be in charge of the Sunday school while at the others the evening services will be turned over to the children.

Thank Offering Service.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Circle of the First Baptist church is being held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. I. V. Marshall on Johnston avenue. The annual thank offering services are being observed.

Dress Rehearsal for Opera.

The advance sale of seats for the "Chimes of Normandy" indicate a very large attendance. The costumes are here and a full dress rehearsal will be given at the theatre tonight.

Granted Marriage Licenses.

George Wesley Ansel and Miss Minnie Work of Connellsville, Arthur Emmett Glotfelty and Miss Fannie Stark of Ohiopyle were granted marriage licenses in Cumberland yesterday.

Chicken and Waffle Supper.

The Methodist Protestant church of Dunbar will hold a chicken and waffle supper this evening in the Smith & Feather building. All are invited to attend.

Ladies' Aid Will Meet.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren church will be held this evening in the church. A large attendance is desired.

Students Will Entertain.

Students of the Douglass Business College will hold a social gathering this evening at Solsson's farm in South Connellsville.

Society Meeting Postponed.

Owing to the Thanksgiving vacation of the Connellsville Literary Society has been postponed until Friday afternoon, December 4.

GAME WARDEN AFTER ILLEGAL FISHERS.

Causes Arrest of Men for Getting Fish From Yough When Water Was Low.

Game Warden M. P. Maitland does not seem to be satisfied with the first prosecutions brought against Connellsville people for taking fish from the Yough river while the water was shut off by a dam erected by the West Penn Electric Company. He came to Connellsville last night in company with Constable McLaughlin and made informations against the following: Harry Hetzel, Charles Kerns, Buckey Walters, Edward White, George Hay and George Cowgill. All are charged with illegal fishing and gave bail for a hearing this evening before Magistrate Mifflin of McClellandtown.

It is claimed by those who were arrested that it was not illegal to pick the fish from the stream with their hands, while the law says that they must be taken with hook and line. Several cases were brought before Magistrate Harry Smurr of New Haven, who dismissed them. Game Warden Maitland was not satisfied with the decision and stated that he would take other steps to prosecute those whom he believed guilty of breaking the law and these latest arrests are a result of his activity.

The case will be watched with considerable interest as many others than those arrested took fish from the river at the time, and these fear arrest and prosecution should the cases be decided adversely to the men who have been taken.

No More Divorces.

Dr. H. M. Wiley, head of the National Pure Food Commission, says: "Give the American man good bread and you will make him a partisan of the home and fireside." There is no excuse for any woman losing her husband now through poor bread, for all dealers sell MARVEL FLOUR.

MINING INSTITUTE.

Second Monthly Meeting Will Be Held at Mt. Pleasant November 25.

OWENSDALE, Nov. 23.—The second monthly meeting of the Eleventh Bituminous District Mining Institute of the Y. M. C. A. of Scottdale will be held in the First National Bank building at Mt. Pleasant on Saturday evening, November 28, opening at 7 o'clock. A good program will be carried out.

All men interested in the work of coal mining directly or indirectly are invited to attend. The topic of discussion will be, "How Does the Shape of An Airway Affect the Ventilation of a Mine?" J. L. Robbins, of Owensdale, President of the Institute, will state the topic and open the discussion. The admission is free, but by ticket, which may be secured by applying to W. H. Glassgow of the Frick offices; W. J. Graef, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., or P. P. Olsen of Scottdale; J. L. Robbins, of Owensdale; W. C. Ramsey or W. H. Howarth, of Mt. Pleasant, and W. J. Eustis, of Alverton.

RIVALS TO CLASH IN ANNUAL CONTEST

University of Pittsburg an State Make Great Preparation for Thanksgiving Game.

The big Thanksgiving Day football attraction in Pittsburg is the annual battle between the University of Pittsburg (formerly W. U. P.) and the State College elevens and as the rival teams are as evenly matched this year as it would be possible to get, gridiron fans are looking forward to the game with unusual interest.

For the past four years, the teams representing the two institutions of learning have battled for supremacy on Turkey Day at Exposition Park and to date the record is even, Pittsburg winning in 1904 by the score of 28-5, losing 6-0 in 1906 and turning the tables last year when they scored the only touchdown of the game in the second half by means of one of the prettiest executed forward passes ever seen in the Smoky City. Last year's defeat was an unexpected one for State as their record looked better than that of the Blue and Gold, and this year they are coming to Pittsburg with the intention of evening matters up. So important do they consider the contest that they left an open date on Saturday in making up their 1908 schedule in order that their team might rest up from their strenuous campaign and be in perfect shape for the Pittsburg game.

Both teams will present their strongest lineup on Thanksgiving Day, Pittsburg having the service of their backfield star, Captain Danbury, and "Tex" Richards, who have been on the injured list. Turner, their great center, who is considered the best man at the position in the Keystone State, may also be found at his old place. For State, Captain "Bull" McCleary, who had his shoulder broken early in the season, will resume his place in the backfield, where he is sure to prove a tower of strength.

DEATH FOLLOWS CUT.

Jacob Saylor, Summit Township Resident, Dies at His Home.

MEYERSDALE, Nov. 24.—Jacob Saylor, a respected citizen of Summit township, died at his home at an early hour yesterday morning of gangrene. About three weeks ago the deceased cut himself slightly with a hatchet on one of his hands and he experienced no inconvenience, and in fact paid no attention to it util the middle of last week, whe it became sore, growing worse steadily, with on apparent abatement and refusing to yield to treatment, until the end came early this morning.

Besides his widow the deceased is survived by four children, as follows: Mrs. Urias Kretchman, who resides on the home farm; Charles Saylor, a prominent coal dealer, of near town; Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. Harvey C. Miller, both of this place. The funeral services will be held at the late residence of the deceased by ministers of the Church of the Brethren, of which he was a consistent member, tomorrow afternoon. Interment in Union Cemetery.

MINISTER'S WILL PROBATED.

Rev. Edie Leaves Bulk of Estate to His Widow.

The will of the late Rev. William A. Edie was admitted to probate this morning in Uniontown and is remarkable for its brevity. But two provisions are made in the document, one leaving all the property to the wife, Mrs. Lillian Bard Edie, and the other giving a gold watch to the son, William Woodburn Edie.

The document is dated June 1, 1907, and was witnessed by Fred Frisbee and Agnes Bard Stuchfield.

Aged Masontown Resident Dead.

UNIONTOWN, Nov. 24.—David Johnson, aged 91, an aged resident of Masontown, died early this morning from a complication of diseases at the home of his son-in-law, Justus Bare, of that place.

Steam.

"Can you tell me what steam is?" asked the examiner.

"Why, sure, sir," replied Patrick confidently. "Steam is—why—er—it's wather thot's gone crazy wid the heat."—Everybody's.

One may dominate moral sufferings only by labor. Study saves from discouragement.—D'Abrantes.

MT. PLEASANT BANK CASE IS CONTINUED.

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with the bank nearly $70,000.

After objections by the attorney for the defendants this morning Assistant United States Attorney P. M. Gibson succeeded in putting evidence of the alleged notes held by the bank, the proceeds of which went to the Acme Lumber & Supply Company.

Henry S. Kurtz, foreman of carpenters for the company was called and testified to having signed a note for $5,000 at the request of E. H. Steinman.

C. W. Robinson of Pittsburg, formerly superintendent of the Searchlight Manufacturing Company at Mt. Pleasant said he had signed a note for $4,700. F. F. Deyo, an employe of the Acme Lumber & Supply Company, signed a note for $5,300 and C. N. Edmonds who was superintendent of the Anchor Glass Company signed a note for $5,700. Louis G. Ott was called but did not respond. A note for $5,000 purported to have been signed by him was admitted.

All the witnesses with the exception of Deyo stated they have not the property to the amount of the notes they had signed. Deyo said that his property was not in this State and that he had been told the bank wanted the money and that he would occur no liability.

AUTO PLANT SOLD.

Machinery in South Connellsville Works to Be Removed.

The machinery of the old Humbert automobile works was sold pursuant to an order of court, to D. P. Reighard of Pittsburg but efforts to sell the rest of the property failed at this time and efforts to dispose of this will be made later.

Mr. Reighard, purchaser of the machinery, will remove it to Pittsburg. No attempt will be made to operate the South Connellsville plant.

Cummings Elected Senator.

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—Albert E. Cummings was elected United States Senator from Iowa at noon today by the State Legislature in joint session.

Hospital Ship Overdue.

MANILA, Nov. 24.—(Special.)—The hospital ship Relief is now 6 days overdue from the Guam station and Admiral Sperry has started a warship out to search for her.

Local and Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gulvin of East Connellsville left yesterday for Washington, D. C., where they will spend several days before leaving for the South.

Look out for "The Boy With the Boodle" at 1 o'clock Thanksgiving Day at the Solsson Theatre. He will throw money to the boys.

Mrs. Ella McGill of Dunbar has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Margaret Ranson, of East Liberty.

Clarence McGill left yesterday for the Royal works, where he has secured employment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Workman of Youngwood spent yesterday with friends here.

Miss Laura Mount has resigned her position as stenographer for Hugh Crow to accept a similar position with the Connellsville Machine & Car Company.

Leave your orders for Thanksgiving ice cream at Pritchard's, corner North Pittsburg and Peach streets. Vanilla, bisk, pineapple and cherry.

Mrs. J. T. Hetzel and daughter, Mrs. William Glotfelty, are the guests of Mrs. E. H. Dellenbaugh of Pittsburg today.

S. S. West, Samuel and Clark Bishop, and Harry Davis are hunting today in the vicinity of Huston.

Mrs. E. A. Carlitz went to Mill Run this morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. Homer Hensel.

Fine line of candy, 10c and 20c a pound at Artman's.

Mrs. F. E. Burdette of Ohiopyle was the guest of friends here yesterday.

Miss Alice Foust of Scottdale visited friends here yesterday.

Miss Edith Day of Braddock is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Horne, of South Pittsburg street.

S. M. Hutchinson of Mill Run is here today on business.

Mrs. J. J. Mellon and two children, Mary and Caroline, of Pittsburg, returned home today after a visit with friends here.

Mrs. Sidney Carson and two children of Pittsburg are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Robert Lytle, of New Haven.

Biddle Hornbank of Dickerson Run was in town this morning on business.

Post card albums for 100 cards, 5c, at Artman's.

Mrs. Sarah B. Cochran and Miss Besse Hist, of Dawson were in town this morning on route to Morgantown.

Mrs. H. G. Chase and child are the guests of friends in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. J. P. K. Miller of Scottdale was calling on friends here yesterday.

Mrs. W. S. Clingerman and sister, Miss Brown, of Scottdale, were Connellsville visitors yesterday.

Miss Anna Fox of Dawson was shopping in town this morning.

Mrs. W. D. Gilchrist and children of Ohiopyle are visiting in town.

Kid and jointed dolls, special this week only, at $1. Artman's.

Miss Marie Cochran of Dawson was in town this morning on her way to Saltsburg, Pa., where she will visit friends over Thanksgiving.

Jacob Koontz of Indian Creek returned home this morning after a visit with friends here.

Constable William Roland of Dunbar township was in Pittsburg yesterday on business.

C. A. Patterson was transacting business in Pittsburg yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Cottom and daughter, Miss Evelyn, were the guests of Mrs. H. L. Carpenter of the South Side yesterday.

"The Boy With the Boodle" will throw money to the boys Thanksgiving Day at 1 o'clock, starting from the Solsson Theatre.

Miss Mabel Shotts of Scottdale has returned home from a visit with Mrs. Ira Beal.

Miss Adele Stern of Pittsburg has returned home after a visit with Miss Naomi Rosenblum.

Mrs. Kirk Hendrickson and children of Berlin have returned home after a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, of East Main street.

Miss Lena Hetzel returned home this morning from a visit to Pittsburg.

C. E. Noonan has returned home from Gary, W. Va., where he has been employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright of Bower Falls were in town yesterday on their return home from Berlin, where they visited their son for several days.

Four-piece glass sets, 49c. Artman's.

Miss Katherine Baughman of Uniontown was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Birdie Kelly and daughter of Dunbar were calling on friends here yesterday.

Mrs. James Scott of Ursina returned home yesterday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Cunningham.

Mrs. Joseph Cottom of Dawson was among the out of town shoppers here yesterday.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c. t-t-s

NEW HAVEN.

Local Matters from the Sister Borough Across the Youghiogheny.

Don't miss "The Boy With the Boodle" at the Solsson Theatre at 1 o'clock Thanksgiving Day. He will have a pot of money to throw away.

Mrs. David Shupe of Westerport, Md., is the guest of Mrs. Harper Miller of Eighth street, Greenwood.

Mrs. David Ramsay of Main street spent Sunday with friends in Uniontown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Campbell of Vanderbilt were the guests of friends here yesterday.

E. E. Johnson was in Pittsburg yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin of Trank-lin township have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Freed of Dunbar township.

Miss Adah Beeson of New Stanton was the guest of Miss Vergie Herbert Sunday.

Rose Morrow is in Dunbar today on business.

Good times are here. "The Boy With the Boodle" will throw money away at 1 o'clock Thanksgiving Day. Come to the Solsson Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Matthews and daughters, Myrtle and Jennie, of Uniontown were the guests of Squire and Mrs. P. M. Buttermore of Main street yesterday.

Mrs. Amos Wiltrout of Uniontown was visiting friends here yesterday. Mrs. Wiltrout formerly resided in New Haven.

Mrs. John Cook of Dunbar was in town yesterday on a little shopping trip.

Mrs. James Morrison of Vanderbilt was calling on friends here yesterday.

Miss Carrie McGraw of Uniontown has returned home after a visit with friends and relatives here.

Absolutely PURE

Insures delicious, healthful food for every home, every day. The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar—made from grapes.

Safeguards your food against alum and phosphate of lime—harsh mineral acids which are used in cheaply made powders.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Beginning on MONDAY, NOV. 23; Ending on SATURDAY, NOV. 28.

Every mother who has a baby not over 2 years old, it brought to my studio at the time specified, I will make for the baby three of my best $5.00 per dozen cabinet photographs for only $1.00. This special offer is only good for one week. Now mothers, this is your opportunity to get three nice good cabinet photographs of your baby for only $1.00.

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DISEASED MEN,

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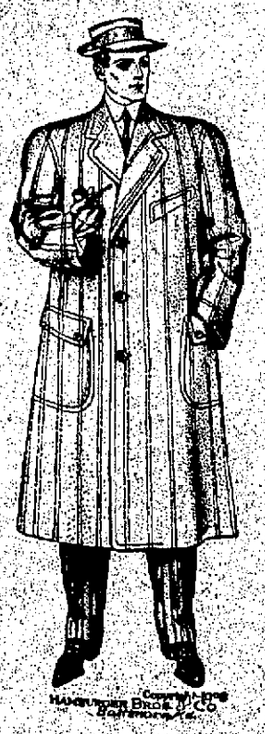

This illustration shows one of the attractive models. The others are just as smart looking. While the style of each model is exceptional, the splendid quality of the materials and the fine hand-tailoring are particularly noteworthy, and sure to convince you of their great superiority over all other $20.00 values.

Why pay a custom tailor $40.00 for an overcoat when you can get one here at $20.00 which is every whit as good?

The fabrics consist of bright striped Cheviot and plain brown, blue and Oxford.

BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS $4.50 TO $12.

Garments of selected fabrics, tailored to give long service in a great assortment of nobby styles.

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Just scratch a match—light the Perfection Oil Heater—and stop shivering. Wherever you have a room that's hard to heat—that the furnace doesn't reach—there you'll need a

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(Equipped with Smokeless Device)

Just the thing for blizzard time or between seasons. Its genial glowing heat makes any room cheerful and cozy. No smoke—no smell—smokeless device prevents. Brass font holds 4 quarts of oil burning 9 hours. Finished in japan and nickel. Every heater warranted.

The **Rayo** Lamp Gives a mellow, steady, soft light which is so much appreciated by workers and students. Made of brass, nickel plated with the latest improved central draft burner. Every lamp warranted. Write our nearest agency for descriptive circular if your dealer cannot supply the Perfection Oil Heater or Rayo Lamp.

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Great Stock and Great Values in Shoes.

The warm dry weather this Fall has made the Shoe business backward, but the first little wet spell, or the first little snow, will make a great demand and we are amply provided. Our Shoe Departments are heavily stocked with Special Lines, Special Styles, made especially for us. The lines cover all the leading styles.

For Women we have the most dainty shoes in the market; we also have a common-sense kind—good broad heavy soles and good broad low heels.

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For Men we have splendid lines of Comfortable Dress Shoes, and we have serviceable lines of Working Shoes.

We have Rubber Goods of all classes for Men, Women and Children. Everyone of our stores has a complete Shoe Department. We feel shure you can find what you want for any member of the family, and we are quite positive that the prices will be satisfactory.

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When you feel "all tickered out," these factors of safety are nearly exhausted and you need to resort to

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to renew the supply of energy, wherever it may be called for.

Indigestion, bilious attacks, constipation, loss of sleep, nervousness, dizzy spells, are warnings that the factor of safety in the stomach, liver, bowels or brain, is low, or nearing the danger point and needs to be replenished.

Beecham's Pills increase the supply of blood, strengthen the stomach, operate the bowels, feed the nerve cells, build tissue, and create a reserve supply of energy, which is the only natural and effective way to

Protect the Health

In boxes with full directions, 10c and 25c.

OSCAR, THE WALDORF'S FAMOUS CHEF, SHOWS HOW TO CARVE A TURKEY.

This group of interesting photographs show Oscar, for many years chef at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York, and probably the most famous man in his line in America, carving a Thanksgiving turkey. In the uppermost picture he has removed one of the legs and is in the act of cutting off the wing. In the next he is cutting away the lower part of the breast, and in the third and fourth he shows the process of slicing the breast.

SOMERSET COUNTY TEACHERS GATHER.

Institute Being Held at Theatre at County Seat.

CAPABLE INSTRUCTORS PRESENT

All the Teachers of County With Exception of Six Are Present and Every Day Will Be Filled With Interesting Exercises.

SOMERSET, Nov. 24.—This morning the 52nd annual session of the Somerset County Teachers' Institute convened in the local theatre and all indications are that this will be one of the most successful of any teachers, institute held in recent years. An unusually strong and capable force of instructors and entertainers has been secured by Prof. D. W. Seibert, County Superintendent, and with the exception of about six all the teachers of the county, who number 410, were present at the opening session.

The executive officers of the institute are: President, D. W. Seibert; Vice Presidents, E. A. Hower, H. S. McClintock; Secretaries, L. C. Boyts, M. R. Schrock, N. G. Ppelcher; Enrolling Clerks, H. B. Spatcher, Orange Miller; Time Clerks, D. C. Willard, James H. Schrock and A. F. Heiple.

The instructors at this institute are the Hon. Henry Houck of Harrisburg, State Secretary of Internal affairs, the Hon. Frank H. Wills of Ada, Ohio, Dr. J. D. Meese of California, Pa., one of the faculty of the California State Normal School, Prof. W. A. Price of Ashland, O., and Dr. J. R. Flickinger of Lock Haven, Pa., president of the Lock Haven Normal School. Prof. Jerry Lynch will be musical director, Prof. David B. Stevens, a well known soloist, has been secured and Miss Lettie Good of Somerset, whose material is great, will officiate at the piano. Nearly all of the instructors have attended institutes here. They are thoroughly competent instructors.

On Wednesday and Thursday of this week the annual directors convention will be held in the assembly room of the court house. The law provides for the refunding of expenses to directors in attendance and it is believed that at least 200 directors of schools in Somerset county will attend. An interesting program has been prepared. The officers are as follows: President, Jonas M. Cook; vice presidents, Levi Koontz, Dr. C. F. Livengood; Recording secretary, Rev. A. S. Glessner; corresponding secretary, Louis C. Colburn, and treasurer, Pierce Miller.

DELIGHTFUL PRODUCTION.

Second Appearance of "The Devil" Far Superior to First.

A Connellsville audience for the second time this season witnessed a production of Franz Molnar's popular play, "The Devil," last night and for the second time saw a performance that is unusual outside the large cities.

The former company appearing here almost two months ago gave a delightful rendition of this piece which has possibly caused more discussion than any play of the year, but it remained for the company appearing here last night to bring out the author's meaning in its fullness; to give the coloring that is so much to a play of the character of "The Devil."

In the hands of the capable company which appeared on Broadway, the delicate suggestion was presented with that delightful handling that at once distinguishes the conscientious artist. While Connellsville was delighted with the former presentation the one it witnessed last night was superior.

While W. H. Kilgore, who played the title role here in the first appearance played the part in a clever manner, he was unfitted in a measure on account of his size. The proper conception of the character is that of a tall, lithe, sinuous man. Reginald Barlow, who appeared last night, seems fitted by nature and training to play the part. Possibly the same criticism might apply to "Karl." He was too robust to fit the character whose whole temperment was that of a pale, asthetic creature. In Arthur Berthelet a man of ideal proportion and temperment has been secured. Alberta Gallatin, who is well known to most theatregoers has found a vehicle which fits her admirably and in which she is given an opportunity to demonstrate her ability as an emotional actress. While the company appearing here formerly was good the one appearing last night is so much better that the former company has been taken off the road the second one will fill its engagements and will delight audiences wherever it appears.

Nearing the Century Mark.

SOMERSET, Nov. 24.—On Saturday John O. Kimmell of, Somerset celebrated his 94th birthday. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Baer of Philadelphia. Mr. Baer, the President of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, is Mr. Kimmell's son-in-law.

"The Boy With the Boodle" will throw money to the boys Thanksgiving Day at 1 o'clock, starting from the Soisson Theatre.

The New of Nearby Towns.

MT. PLEASANT.

MT. PLEASANT, Nov. 24.—The O. W. Own commandry No. 235 of the Independent Americans, a well known body of people of this place will attend the divine services in a body at the Evangelical church Thanksgiving morning at 10.30 o'clock. Rev. Shumaker will deliver the sermon. Everybody welcome.

The new State road which starts at Standard and continues almost to Greensburg is nearing completion.

Moses Lehman of Pittsburg was a business caller in town today.

William T. Shepherd, a well known blacksmith of town, is compelled to sell of his herd of milch cows, all of which will be fresh within a month, on account of low water for them, he having to haul water about a mile and then being scarce at that.

Miss Lillian Edmunds of Connellsville was calling on friends at this place today.

The Union Thanksgiving services at this place will be held at the Church of God Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Eaton of the Methodist Episcopal church will deliver the address assisted by other pastors of the different churches.

Try our classified ads. 1c a word.

A force of men are at work in the H. C. Frick Coke Company's works at Standard cleaning up the pits and filling in the holes which have sunk since the works have been shut down.

Miss Sarah Hitchman was shopping at Scottdale this afternoon.

The Patriotic Order of the Sons of America, Washington Camp, No. 730, will meet next Friday evening in their lodge room where they will institute a new side degree called Uncle Sam's Eagles. This will be instituted with the regular camp. Some 20 people will be initiated Friday evening.

Extra Harmon, who recently purchased Mullin's mansion, now better known as "Mullin's Folly," moved his household goods to that place today. The mansion was purchased sometime ago at public sale by Mr. Harmon for $13,280.

The first basketball game of the season will be played Thanksgiving day at 8.15 o'clock in the armory when the local High School five will play the strong Jeannette High School team.

Myer Posner was a business caller at Scottdale today.

H. F. Ferguson of Greensburg was a business caller at this place today.

J. Haas of Lancaster left for his home today following a short visit with his many friends there.

T. F. Rowley of Greenville, Pa., was a business caller here yesterday.

J. S. Anderson of Pittsburg was a business caller in town Monday.

DAWSON.

DAWSON, Nov. 23.—Otto Haas, the well known proprietor of the Dawson House, returned home from a few days hunt in Bedford county. His hunting party landed a fine deer. Otto brought home a fine wild turkey.

Mrs. H. C. McGill has returned home from a few days' visit at Connellsville.

J. L. Thomas, general agent of the Dickerson Run scales, was a business caller in the Smoky City Saturday.

Mrs. Edward O'Brien of Dickerson Run was a Connellsville shopper Saturday.

Miss Etta Clarke was a Connellsville shopper Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Westley Sherbondy spent Sunday here with friends and relatives.

Mis Lou McGill was a Connellsville shopper Saturday.

Charles Fee of Uniontown was a recent Dawson business caller.

Earl Porter was a business caller at Pittsburg Saturday.

Otto Frey of Pittsburg was a Dawson business caller Saturday.

Frank Henle of Connellsville spent a few hours Sunday afternoon with his sister, Mrs. J. C. McGill, North Dawson.

Joseph Stoman was a Pittsburg caller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seibert spent Sunday with friends and relatives in West Newton.

Florence Kuhl of Uniontown spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Kuhn.

John McFarland of Vanderbilt was a Dawson caller Sunday.

William Brown of Pittsburg spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brown.

John McGill spent Sunday with friends in Morgantown. He also saw his old schoolmates win from Bethany Saturday by a score of 47 to 0.

Charles O. Schroyer was a business caller in Pittsburg Saturday.

John Hayes of Confluence, formerly of Dawson, spent Sunday here with friends.

Miss Zola Henry spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Clymer Painter, at Greensburg.

Mrs. J. S. Laughrey, Mrs. H. C. Rush and Miss Bertha Carr were Dawson callers in Connellsville Saturday.

OWENSDALE.

OWENSDALE, Nov. 23.—Wade Ruth was transacting business at Scottdale Friday.

Walter Moyers of Morgan Station was here Sunday.

William Gault was calling on Scottdale friends on Saturday.

Miss Mame Baughman of Star Junction is a guest of relatives here.

William Martin of Uniontown was a guest of relatives here Sunday.

The remains of Carrie Agner, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boyd, who was burned to death at Fayette City on Friday, was brought here for burial. The child's features were hardly disfigured. The remains were interred at the Scottdale Cemetery Monday afternoon at 1.30. The deceased was aged three years, two months, and 13 days.

Misses Dora Kelly and Margaret Everest of Mt. Pleasant passed through here Saturday on their way to Uniontown.

Miss Christian Mulvis is confined to her home on account of illness.

Mrs. Allen Shallenberger and daughter, Miss Edna, were Scottdale callers yesterday.

Grant Shallenberger and son, William, were at Vanderbilt over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Leighter and two daughters, Misses Grace and Gertrude were calling at Scottdale Saturday.

"Grandmother" King is very ill.

Miss Belle Huff of Uniontown was visiting relatives here over Sunday.

Mrs. John Cowan was at Scottdale Saturday.

Mrs. J. B. Dowalt was a guest of relatives at Brownsville over Sunday.

O. P. Raygor of Mutual was a guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. C. Provins, over Sunday.

Charles Ottenberg and W. C. Robbins were at Connellsville Saturday evening.

Mrs. Clark Farmer and daughter, Miss Clara, were at Connellsville Sunday.

Mrs. Rose Brooks of Scottdale was visiting friends here over Sunday.

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, Nov. 24.—Miss Mollie Field, who is on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Hershberger of this place, was shopping and visiting friends in Connellsville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. McNutt and children of Somerfield are spending a few days on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson of this place.

Mrs. Milton Bryner of near Kentuck was shopping and visiting friends in town yesterday.

Mrs. F. E. Burdette of this place spent Monday visiting friends and shopping in Connellsville.

Mrs. Isaac Hall of near Maple Summit spent Monday on a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Shoemaker, of this place.

Master John Stark of Confluence is spending a few days on a visit with relatives and friends at this place.

Mrs. Nellie Adams and son of Brownsville are spending a few days on a visit with relatives and friends at this place.

H. T. Holt was attending to matters of business and calling on friends and relatives in Confluence yesterday.

Frank Ridgeway of Dunbar was attending to business matters at and near this place Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gilchrist, sons William and James, of this place spent Monday visiting relatives and friends in Connellsville.

Mrs. Sophia Inks of near Kentuck spent Monday shopping and visiting friends in town.

Joseph Nicholson returned to his home at this place Sunday evening after a few days' visit with relatives and friends in Connellsville and Uniontown.

Miss Sophia Hall of Sugar Loaf is spending a few days on a visit with relatives and friends in town.

Arnold Fletcher, who has for the past few weeks been employed at this place, returned to his home in Scullton Monday morning.

T. W. Bailey of Whig Corner was attending to matters of business in Connellsville and Uniontown Monday.

The remains of Miss Alda Williams, which have been resting in the Sugar Loaf Cemetery at this place, were removed Tuesday morning to Oak Cemetery at Uniontown with her father, who is also buried there.

ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, Nov. 23.—Irvin Wolf was visiting friends in Confluence over Sunday.

Miss Catherine Snyder and Miss Jennie Snyder of the Snyder millinery firm, were visiting in Meyersdale Saturday and Monday of this week.

William Baker of Salisbury Junction was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baker, of this place.

Frank Groff of Berlin was in town over Sunday calling on friends and relatives. Mr. Groff was formerly connected with the Groff store of this place, but moved to Berlin, where and an older brother opened a business of their own.

Roy Shumaker of Meyersdale is visiting the home of her mother, Mrs. C. P. Cobaugh, for a few days this week.

Rev. Lauffer, formerly of Martinsburg, preached a trial sermon in the Trinity Reformed Church on Sunday evening. Rev. Lauffer delivered a fine sermon.

SALTLICK.

SALTLICK, Nov. 24—No rain of much account since August, rain is not making any headway.

The flouring mill of the Champion Milling Company at Champion has shut down for repairs.

Kate Neville has returned home after visiting friends at Mt. Pleasant and Dawson.

John W. Dumbauld is kept busy surveying.

T. F. King has sold his flouring mill at Valley mills.

Dr. M. C. Hunter and J. K. Craig attended court at Greensburg last week.

William Nedrow moved to the Big Springs in Westmoreland county where he will work for George Burgstres, a Pittsburg attorney, who owns the place.

Hay pressing is now in order.

Candidates for the winter primary will now let the dear people know what is what.

BELLEVERNON.

BELLEVERNON, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Arthur Neal of Fayette City spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bowers.

Miss Hester Kyle, Mrs. F. C. Devinne and Mrs. S. W. Murphy spent Friday at Jeannette.

Miss Lillian Graham is reported as being on the sick list.

Mrs. H. C. Duley and Miss R. G. Brown spent Saturday at Pittsburg.

Mrs. S. W. Murphy was a Saturday shopper in Pittsburg.

Mrs. W. H. Hartman of Republic visited her sister, Mrs. W. E. Reppert, on Monday.

Mrs. W. S. Cooper died on Friday morning of pneumonia after a two weeks' illness. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon after which the body was taken to the Bellevernon Cemetery for interment.

NORMALVILLE.

NORMALVILLE, Nov. 24.—Rev. Elliott of Mt. Pleasant was here Monday morning.

Rev. College preached to the Jr. O. U. A. M. Sunday morning.

James Hitchman, controller of Westmoreland county and brother and attorney Court of Mt. Pleasant were here Friday in their automobile enroute to the oil well on the mountain.

Freeman May died Saturday and was buried Sunday in the Imer cemetery, aged 68 years. His wife was buried Monday, November 16.

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MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, Nov. 23.—J. C. Hostetler returned yesterday from an extended Western tour. He visited in the states of Indiana, Illinois and Iowa.

Rev. J. F. Looney, pastor of SS. Philip and James Catholic church of this place, spent the day at Johnstown on a business errand.

Dr. A. M. Lichty of Salisbury called upon his host of friends and relatives at this place yesterday.

Mrs. Philip Imhoff yesterday visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beachy, at West Salisbury and incidentally congratulated them upon the arrival one day last week of a big son.

C. A. Decker, a well known Philadelphia lumberman, was the guest several days last week of his friends, Hon. S. A. Kendall, and W. H. Deeter, both of this place.

George Keim, who conducts a hotel at Star Junction, was calling upon his parents and friends here today.

Simon Schrock of Somerset was the guest today of his brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Miller of Meyers avenue.

The annual Ladies' Missionary Society of the local district of the colored Baptist church will hold its sessions in the First Mission Baptist church on North street, Friday, Saturday and Sunday of this week. Rev. Thomas Ford of Uniontown, will preach the annual missionary sermon on Friday evening. At eleven o'clock Sunday morning Rev. J. W. Coleman, D. D., will preach. An excellent program has been prepared and interesting sessions are looked for.

Miss Margaret A. Reed, daughter of Burgess and Mrs. J. C. Reed, returned last Tuesday on the Kronprinzessin Cecilie of the North German Lloyd line from Europe where for the past six months she had been visiting the universities of Switzerland, Germany, Italy and France, engaged in research work for tuberculosis. The most of the young woman's time was spent in Berlin, Germany, at the famous Koagli University. Immediately upon landing in this country Miss Reed went to Bryn Mawr College, where she will continue in the work she was engaged in during her stay abroad. It is expected that she will spend a portion of the Christmas holiday season with her parents.

Have you tried our classified ads?

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, Nov. 23.—R. O. Benson of this place, Frank Benson and Richard Cooley of Fairchance were hunting on Sandy Creek, W. Va., last week. They killed a 200 pound, four pronged buck, two wild turkeys, two otters and a number of squirrels. The otters were large and fine specimens of these rare animals. The fur on them which is usually light reddish brown, was almost as dark as seal.

Roy Dils, store manager at Bitner, came up and joined his wife, who has been visiting her mother and other friends here since Thursday.

The masons completed the brick work on the Presbyterian parsonage Saturday.

A union Thanksgiving service will be held in the M. E. church Thursday at 10 A. M. Rev. W. M. Ryan of the Baptist church will preach.

W. L. Stewart of Outcrop and business of importance in the borough on Saturday night and Sunday.

Chas. O'Neil of Point Marion paid his parents at brief visit here Saturday.

The Smithfield cornet band will give a concert and oyster supper at the town hall Thursday night.

There will be no use for anyone else to hunt in this neighborhood after today. Engineer Miley McLaughlin and his fireman Bruce McCartney were seen this morning with guns and and a beagle pup making for the hunting grounds hereabouts.

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CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Nov. 24.—Richard Lininger is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lininger of near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnworth were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reiher of Charleston Sunday.

Charles Beggs, who is recovering from an attack of the fever is now able to be out on the streets again.

Das Tissue of Allegheny is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Show of near town.

Mrs. Ida Reynolds is visiting her brother, Norman Sterner at Markleysburg, who is seriously ill.

J. W. Currie was a business caller in town several days last week.

Miss Bertha Wallace, a well known young lady of town and Michael Wingert of near Uniontown, were quietly married one day last week.

Samuel Downs is seriously ill at his home in West Confluence.

Misses Nelle Dold, Susan Bowlin and Alice Ream left yesterday morning for Somerset where they will attend the Somerset county teachers' institute.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church having finished paying their portion on the new M. E. Church gave a banquet for all the members and their husbands Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown on Oden street. Mrs. Brown being a member of the society. A very delightful evening was spent until a late hour when a bountious supper was served. The decorations were very artistic. There was about 30 guests present.

PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, Nov. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stickle spent Sunday with Miss Bessie Farquhar at Redstone.

Miss Adeline Mollenauer and Miss Nellie Snyder attended a party at the home of Miss Snyder's sister in Vanderbilt Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. S. Stickle, Mrs. L. T. Russell and Miss Bessie Russell spent Saturday with friends at Curfew.

Mrs. Frank Townsend was shopping in Scottdale Saturday.

Among those who were shopping in Connellsville Saturday were Clarence Patterson, N. S. Byers, Miss Estella Pearson and Mrs. Frank Hixenbaugh.

Mrs. I. H. Baugh spent Saturday in Layton.

The sermon to the Knights of Malta by Rev. C. A. Canfield of the Christian Church Sunday evening was well attended, the edifice being filled and the sermon was filled with throughts, facts and feeling.

Rev. J. H. Enlow, who is conducting his annual revival services at Redline, reports a very good meeting.

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VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, Nov. 23.—Frank McFarland, proprietor of the Central Hotel of Dunbar, and his son, David, spent Sunday with the former's father here, J. J. McFarland.

C. W. Burry was transacting business in Pittsburg recently.

Helen Hager of Dawson was the guest of Daisy Johnson last week.

Marie McBurney was shopping in Connellsville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Blair of Curfew were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cooper on Saturday and Sunday.

Some of the recent business callers in town were H. A. Wilson of Harrisburg, G. S. Wheaton of Pittsburg, W. R. Dirrey of Cleveland, O., W. R. Frasher of Smock, E. G. Shipley of Connellsville, J. B. Senor of Dunbar, and W. R. Mealy of Bute.

Mrs. Joseph Means was a Connellsville shopper Saturday.

James Carson of Perryopolis spent Sunday with friends here.

Allen Shellenberger was a business caller in Connellsville Saturday.

Harry Harper and Clayton Shelky of Jacison was in Vanderbilt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Leighty of Pleasant Hill Side was visiting friends and relatives here Sunday.

The oyster supper which was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society and the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the Jr. O. U. A. M. hall Saturday evening was largely attended. Music and games were the principal amusements.

Taylor Leighty of near town was in Somerset county last week.

STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, Nov. 23.—Miss Lucile Thorndale returned home last night after a six weeks' visit in Sutersville.

Walter and John Lowe visited their home at this place on Sounday.

E. V. Leadbeater of Gilmore spent Sunday in town.

Miss Beatrice Stuckslager of Perryopolis spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Risbeck.

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STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY of Fayette, ss:

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally appeared James J. Driscoll, who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say:

That he is Manager of Circulation of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Connellsville, Pa., and that the number of papers printed during the week ending Saturday, November 21st, 1908, was as follows

November 16	5,478
November 17	5,581
November 18	5,561
November 19	5,563
November 20	5,560
November 21	5,773
Total	33,5[illegible]
Daily Average	5,5[illegible]

That the daily circulation by months for 1907 was as follows:

1907. Month.	Total Copies.	Daily Avg.
January	141,788	5,455
February	131,180	5,465
March	146,807	5,635
April	147,220	5,665
May	162,815	6,2[illegible]
June	146,305	5,634
July	141,851	5,460
August	141,236	5,230
September	136,731	5,460
October	140,880	5,216
November	140,730	5,115
December	135,067	5,455
Totals	1,707,856	5,509

That the daily circulation by months for the year 1908 to date was as follows:

1908. Month.	Total Copies.	Daily Avg.
January	150,844	5,587
February	144,663	5,764
March	158,752	6,024
April	161,660	6,216
May	158,077	6,093
June	158,650	6,080
July	154,177	5,930
August	151,861	6,076
September	145,560	5,500

And further sayeth not.

JAS. J. DRISCOLL.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of November, 1908.

JOHN KURTZ, Notary Public.

TUESDAY EVENING, NOV. 24, 1908.

A LITERARY GEM NOT COPIED.

We are in receipt of the following literary gem of the poetic variety, which the author assures us is "written by himself and not copied," an assurance which is perhaps superfluous:

The night was dark and dreary,
The snow was almost gone,
A little maid with golden curls, sat at her window watching.
On her face, was a pretty smile, which seamed to stay there all the while, and the night was dark and dreary.

The wind was houling fiercely,
The trees were swinging to and fro.
The girls mind was wandering far away.
She was thinking of her lover far away on the other shore, and the night was dark and dreary.

Again the snow was fast a falling,
The houling wind did roar,
The house did shake, The trees did bend, and the night was dark and dreary.

The girl still sat at her window, her face was like in June, When the days were warm and breezy, and the blue birds were whistling their sweet songs,
And the bee from his hive, goes in search of honey, and the night was dark and dreary.

When the roses are all faded and gone,
When the leaves, golden and red, comes fluttering to the ground; Then he will return to me and go away no more; How happy I will be when the last rose of summer has gone, she was thinking, and the night was dark and dreary.

The author is a member of the Amateur Publishers Union, and this perhaps accounts for his permission to "through" the "piece" away if we have no use for it. But we do not think such verses should be thrown way. They have the merit of being original and unique.

It is refreshing to read of the little maid with the golden curls and the smile that wouldn't come off, or as the poet soulfully expresses it, "seamed to stay there all the while" in spite of the fact that "the night was dark and dreary" and "the wind was houling fiercely," bending the trees and shaking the frail habitations of man in its rude and unfriendly grasp.

The lady of the golden curls and the sunshine smile typifies the Democratic party. She is looking for her lover to return, just as the Democratic party is looking for the Peerless One to come back in 1912. We are constrained to copy, not write, the words of another poet:

But thou, O Hope, with eyes so fair,
What was thy delighted measure?
Still in whispered promised pleasure,
And bade the lovely scenes at distance hail.

THE FOOTBALL FIELD AND THE PRIZE RING.

The football season is not over, and the net results to date are 18 dead and 120 injured, in spite of the fact that the rules this year were announced to be materially modified in the interest of safe play.

It looks as if the rules would have to be even more materially changed or the greatest of our national games put in the forbidden list along with prize-fighting. The latter unelevating sport has been under legal ban in nearly every State in the Union for some years past, yet perhaps in all its days it never killed as many men as are annually sacrificed to football.

The brutality of the prize ring had much to do with its banishment from the precincts of civilization, yet there are many instances of equal brutality on the gridiron.

The prime difference between football and prize-fighting is that one is a free-for-all fight and the other an encounter between two men only. The betting is the same.

THE CHOICE OF POLITICAL COMMANDERS.

The Uniontown Standard suggests that the campaign work might be better done by "a consolidated and harmonious organization of the candidates themselves, or by their appointment of a manager mutually satisfactorily."

We doubt the wisdom of placing the management of the campaign in the hands of a bunch of candidates with bunches of divergent views and each man trying to carry out his particular plan. The successful conduct of a political campaign, like the successful conduct of a war between nations, demands an executive head, a supreme commander.

The idea that the candidates should have a voice in the selection of the campaign manager, however, is not unreasonable, and in the great political contests is always recognized. The candidates for President of the United States are by custom permitted to choose the Chairmen of their respective National Committees, the committees always ratifying that choice.

Why the plan is not carried down into county politics is not apparent, but its wisdom is plain. The Chairman should always be in hearty sympathy with his ticket. If he is the personal choice of the candidates he naturally will be so; if not, it is just possible that he may sometime not be so, at least not wholly so.

CLUBS AND SPEAKEASIES.

The county authorities exhibit no disposition to interfere with legitimate home clubs conducted with decency and propriety, but only to eliminate those whose character and conduct do not entitle them to any more consideration than the ordinary speak-easy.

The club problem would be most satisfactorily settled by the passage of a law authorizing the issue to them of a license to furnish liquors to their members within the precincts of the club house under the same restrictions as are imposed upon proprietors of hotels.

The ordinary conduct of respectable club life ought not to suffer for the sins of speakeasies parading as "clubs."

A DANGEROUS ANIMAL PLAGUE.

The spread of the apthous fever, commonly called foot and mouth disease, among the Pennsylvania livestock, is assuming the proportions of a plague, and can be stamped out only by a strict observance of the suggestions of the State Livestock Sanitary Board, elsewhere printed.

The situation calls for close observation and energetic action. Owners of live stock should keep strict watch upon their cattle, sheep and hogs, and all indications of foot and mouth disorders should be put under the ban of suspicion.

Infected animals should be strictly quarantined against persons as well as animals. The disease seems to be very contagious, almost as much so as smallpox.

Connellsville's new Fire Marshal has been inducted into office and the work of thorough reorganization of the fire department should be completed without unnecessary delay, not only as a matter of mutual protection but also as a precaution against any possible failure to confirm the recent reduction of fire insurance rates effective in January contingent upon the proper rehabilitation of the fire department.

The amount of Fayette county's sheep claims is a dog-deviled shame.

Gunplay seems to be a part of the domestic life of the cantankerous Klondyke.

The heinous efforts of Hayner to hold into Fayette county with cheap joy water are to be headed off by the authorities. Hayner ought to label his whiskey "bitters" and sell it as a patent medicine. Fortunes have been made in this manner.

The rum question is under regulation from every side.

The contributions to the Republican national campaign fund aggregated $1,700,000, the highest being $25,000. Herman Ridder beat that. He gave $40,000, but he dodged the $10,000 limit by using the names of his three sons.

The Fayette County Bar Association elects its officers, but not its judges. It is not as ambitious as some of its sister organizations.

The American Mining Congress which meets in Pittsburg next week will consider among other things the conservation of our mineral resources, mine timber and water supplies. It will be noticed that all schemes of conservation now include water. The Yough must be dammed!

Uncle Joe announces that he is going along with the Taft administration in the policy of a prompt redemption of the Republican pledge for the revision of the Tariff, and it is safe to say that Congressional Obstruction will be confined strictly to the Democratic forces.

THE LAW OF THE JUNGLE.
Roosevelt must obey the game laws of Africa.—News Item.

The coke ovens of the Connellsville region are firing up rapidly, and the only cloud in the business horizon of the operators is the possibility of a car famine with the full swing of the boom. Mechanical devices will probably solve any embarrassments of the labor problem.

The petrified dog found in a tree at Greene Junction on the outskirts of Connellsville was probably turned to stone by the sight of a camelback.

Even the mine mule explodes sometimes with fatal results.

The Fayette Flyers will be lightning-jerked.

Mileage books properly connect with the railroads, but the propriety of their connection with the traveler is sometimes open to question.

The Good Roads movement seems to be gathering impetus in Southern Fayette county.

It's a mean thief who would rob a preacher or an editor. They are the only people who work hard all their lives and die poor.

The extent of the railroad relief association work may be better realized with the announcement that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has paid out since the organization of the movement $25,000,000.

Boss Gompers has booted Keefe out of the Federation because the latter had the impudence to have political opinions of his own. Sammy is in the saddle all right, and he will ride the horse to death if he is let alone.

Rough-housing the trolley is expensive sport.

Andrew Carnegie has been invited to appear before the Ways and Means Committee and tell them all about the Tariff. The committee won't do a thing to Andy.

A. Carnegie has stirred up a hornet's nest and somebody is going to get stung.

Some of the bigots disagree with the President's denunciation of bigotry, but there's nothing strange about that.

Lord Bobs says, "Beware of the Dutch!" and Representative Hobs says, "Prepare for trouble with the Japs!" The Dove of Peace flutters her frightened wings, but statesmen who know what war means say, "Let us have peace!"

The Standard Oil Company's files seem to be favorite prey for the burglariously inclined.

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WEATHER FORECAST.
Western Pennsylvania—Rain Tuesday, colder in north portion; Wednesday, rain or snow and colder except fair in southwest portion.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

In full swing at this store. Sensible gifts the talk of every one this year. A desire on the part of every one to give something useful. We are anxious to help you as much as we can with your choosing. Want to make your shopping a pleasure and that's one reason for asking you to do as much of your buying as you can now and not put it off until the last minute. From now on we ask you to do as much of your shopping as you can during the morning hours. Also some things to mention this week that because of the prices at which they are marked you will stand a very slim chance of finding here after this week.

TABLE LINENS.
These should have been for a Thanksgiving sale but for some reason they were not. Every piece in this lot is Reid's linen and you know the value of that old Scotch name when connected with table linens. These we show are patterns that will not be made the coming spring. Some of them have no napkins to match. But because of these reasons there's a saving to you of from 25 to 50 cents the yard. 72-inch bleached damask. Two patterns have 24-inch napkins to match regular $1.50 quality. Linen $1.25 the yard. Napkins $4.00 the dozen. 72-inch bleached damask, three patterns no napkins to match, regular $2.00 quality, priced at $1.50 the yard. 72-inch bleached damask, same grade that we have sold you for $2.50 the yard, $2.00 the yard.

Plain Linen Sets.—Beautiful patterns, some the new round designs. 72X108, 22-inch napkins, $8.00; 90X90 cloths, 22-inch napkins, $10.00; hemstitched sets 66X122, with 19-inch napkins, $10.00; 70X142-inch cloths, with 20-inch napkins, $12.00.

WHITE SPREADS.
70X84 inches and priced at $1.00 each. Not too many of these, but all we could get just now. Regularly sold for $1.25 and we think you'll appreciate these just now.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.
It is time to look after dress patterns of woolen fabrics and silks. These stocks have been prepared for a large gift trade the next four weeks. Start at the Danish cloth, which is a new fabric under an old name, half wool, at 20 and 25 cents the yard, and from that on up to the more expensive broadcloths and silks at $3 to $3.50 the yard, and a splendid assortment to choose from at the prices in between. If you find it inconvenient to come just now we'll submit samples of any material.

SILK PETTICOATS.
Say the $5.00 ones. Think we have enough of these to last during the Christmas rush, but you can be certain of getting the color you want if you buy now. They make a very acceptable present and we've a $5.00 petticoat here now that's worth buying. Best we have ever seen for the price.

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Our Holiday Umbrellas are here now. From $1.00 up to $10.00 are the prices. Umbrellas here that you will be proud to give to any one. Biggest showing around prices $3.50 to $5.00.

NEW NECKWEAR.
A showing of neckwear novelties priced at 25 and 50 cents. Prettiest and largest showing that we have had for sometime. Novelties that you would expect to pay more for and that you'll find shown everywhere.

PURSES, POCKETBOOKS AND SHOPPING BAGS.
On Monday, November 30, we will have our holiday line of these complete. Some of these are here now, others are coming in every day and we have them all promised in time to show Monday. You'll not find as large an assortment of these shown elsewhere in this vicinity and we ask you to look over this showing early before many of the pretty ones are sold.

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NEWS OF A DAY IN SCOTTDALE.

Body of Tobias S. Landis Is Brought Here for Burial

AT ALVERTON TOMORROW.

Was a Wealthy and Prominent Farmer Here Some Years Ago—Thanksgiving Footaball Game Scheduled. Amused at Uniontown Burgess.

SCOTTDALE, Nov. 24.—The body of Tobias S. Landis, a former prominent and wealthy citizen of this community, who died at his home in Washington, arrived here for burial yesterday. The remains were accompanied by the widow. Arrangements have been made to have the funeral services at the Alverton Church of God Wednesday afternoon and they will be followed by burial in the Alverton cemetery. Mr. Landis formerly lived on a large farm near Mt. Nebo United Brethren church and accumulated quite a large fortune. He is well remembered by the older residents of the community, and was about 88 years old. He is survived by his wife, eight children, twenty grandchildren and twenty-five great grandchildren. About 10 years ago he decided to spend the close of his life in the west and consequently moved to the southwestern part of Washington.

Underwent an Operation.

Mrs. John D. Stoner of near town was operated on for appendicitis at the Mt. Pleasant hospital on Monday afternoon and underwent the operation in satisfactory shape it is said at the hospital last night.

Child Was Burned.

The funeral of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bown of Owendale who was burned to death on Saturday took place here yesterday, the burial being at the Scottdale cemetery. Several children were playing in the yard trying to light newspapers and the little girl's clothing caught fire and she was so badly burned that death ended her sufferings.

The Nimrods Are Out.

Joseph Kenney, Frank Kenney, Harry Laughrey and John Beck left yesterday for Harnedsville for a few days hunting, anticipating from reports from that section, some excellent sport. Cash Grim and Jacobb Kromer also hied themselves away in the morning to a place where they have been accustomed to discover game.

A Thanksgiving Game.

After all Scottdale is going to have a Thanksgiving football game, although it appeared for a while that the town would have no carnage that day to amount to anything. The teams to be pitted are the Mt. Pleasant Scholastics and the Scottdale Scholastics at Loucks park at 3 o'clock, and as both teams have a strong reputation for prowess on the gridiron there is promise of an interesting battle. And since the particular kind of game played by these teams is on the wane the real kickers are to the force, the initial association game to be played here on Saturday between the Scottdale and East Pittsburg teams. The East Pittsburg team has won a game from Scottdale this season so that a desperate effort will be made to even up matters.

Police Affairs Dull.

This village is as peaceful as a Utopian community these last several days, it having been more than a week since anyone fell into the hands of lockup. The town is certainly on its good behavior.

Amused At Burgess Warman.

The threat of Burgess Robert Warman of Uniontown that he will veto the anti-spitting ordinance passed by the Council of that town, because it infringes on personal liberty is not allowing the tobacco chewers and the consumptive, et cetera from the fouling of the pavement, is greeted here with amusement, where an anti-spitting ordinance has been in effect for more than a year. Its passage and approval by the Town Council and Burgess has cleaned up the town. No longer are women robbed of their rights to walk over a clean sidewalk, no longer do they have to wade through tobacco juice on the sidewalk, nor is the sidewalk offensive in the highest degree in its foulness. The people here quickly got the habit of stepping to the curb and spitting out in the street, and the foreigners, too, caught the idea quickly. There has never been a better ordinance for the public good passed than this, and Scottdale's clean sidewalks give liberty for man, woman and child to go abroad without swimming in filth. Signs printed in four languages warn the public that spitting on the sidewalk costs $1 fine.

Of a Personal Nature.

Edwin Aikens spent Sunday evening visiting friends in Ruffsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sherrick spent Sunday at Newcomer visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loucks.

Mrs. Lester Porter and son, Eugene, are spending a few days visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lynn, of Ruffsdale.

H. D. Jarrett of Wichita, Kan., a former resident of Scottdale, is here visiting his brother, J. I. Jarrett and other relatives.

EXTERNAL REMEDY FOR ECZEMA.

Why Salves Fail While a Simple Liquid Hase Accomplished Thousands of Cures.

It is now thoroughly established among the best medical authorities that eczema is purely a skin disease, due to a germ and curable only through the skin. It is not a blood disease at all; in fact, thousands of people suffer with skin disease and are perfectly healthy otherwise, and therefore prove they have no diseased blood.

Smeary salves cannot reach the germs because they do not penetrate the skin. The only way to reach the germs is by means of a penetrating liquid.

Such a liquid can be obtained by simply mixing ordinary oil of wintergreen with thymol, glycerine and other healing agents. This compound known as D. D. D. Prescription stops the itch instantly—and the cures all appear to be permanent. In fact, it took thousands of cures, case after case, before the best scientific authorities were convinced of the absolute merit of this remedy. The effect of D. D. D. Prescription in numbing the itching after the first application. We especially recommend D. D. D. Prescription in connection with this treatment.

J. C. Moore, Druggist, Water street, Connellsville, Pa.

Distillery Resumes.

The Broadford distillery after the summer close down resumed in full yesterday, 50 men being affected by the resumption. The plant would have resumed operations sooner but a scarcity of water prevented it. John P. Trader, who has been suffering from a severe attack of typhoid fever, is now able to be about and was at the distillery this morning when the work was resumed.

On Battlefield of Monocacy.

MONOCACY, Md., Nov. 24.—A monument erected by the State of Pennsylvania in memory of her soldiers who fough and fell in the battle of Monocacy was dedicated on the battlefield today. The Pennsylvania regiments represented were the Sixty-seventh, Eighty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth regiments of volunteer infantry.

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The great majority of men and women at the age of 50 years begin to feel the first signs of advancing age in some form of kidney trouble and bladder weakness. Few are entirely free from that torturous disease, rheumatism, which is not a disease in itself but a symptom of deranged function of the kidneys, which have become clogged and sluggish, failing in their duty of sifting and straining the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, permitting it to remain and decompose, settling about the joints and muscles, causing intense pain and suffering.

The bladder, however, causes the old folks the most annoyance, especially at night and early morning.

Hundreds of readers who suffer will find the following, which is known as the Dandelion mixture, the most harmless and effective treatment to clean the system of rheumatic poisons, remove irritation of the bladder and relieve urinary difficulties of the old people. It is a true vitalizing tonic to the entire kidney and urinary structure, reinvigorating the entire system.

The Dandelion mixture consists of the following simple prescription, the ingredients of which can be obtained from any good pharmacy at small cost: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and upon going to bed, also drink plenty of water.

This prescription, though simple, is always effective in the diseases and afflictions of the kidneys and bladder and rheumatism.

DELEGATES NAMED.

United Brethren Congregation Holds Election of Representatives.

Sunday morning at the regula service of the United Brethren church voting on delegates in connection with the General Conference to be held in May was conducted. Fifteen delegates and fifteen lay delegates are appointed by the ministerial conference and out of these fifteen five delegates and five lay delegates are elected. The result of the election will be forwarded to W. D. Graft at Greensburg who will announce the result of the election later. Mr. Graft is appointed by the General Conference for that purpose. The conference is held every four years for the purpose of revising the church discipline.

Notice.

All accounts due Fitzmier & Co., must be paid at the office of the Yough Plumbing Co., 126 West Peach street on or before November 25th, 1908. FITZMIER & CO. 21nov6td

New Schedule in Effect.

The winter schedule of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad went into effect at one minute after twelve Sunday morning. There are practically no changes from the old schedule.

AN OPEN LETTER

To the Editor of The Courier and I Want the People of Connellsville to Know That I Write the Following Voluntarily.—Harry L. Goodiel.

I write these few lines out of gratitude for what Mi-o-na has done for me for dyspepsia and indigestion.

I have suffered for the past five years, and have tried different doctors; but have had no relief until I bought a 50 cent box of Mi-o-na from our drug store (R. W. Knowlton's) here a short time ago.

The first box did me so much good that I immediately purchased another one, and I now feel better than I have at any time in the past five years. Am able to eat anything and everything, and get a good night's sleep afterwards.

Was so bad at one time that all I was able to eat for over a month was a raw egg in a half a glass of milk, two or three times a day.

I would earnestly advise anyone suffering as I was from dyspepsia, to give this remedy a fair trial. I remain, gratefully yours, Harry L. Goodiel, No. 9½ River St., Ashtabula, O.

Mi-o-na is the only logical dyspepsia remedy on the market today. It is not a digester. It does not contain a particle of pepsin. It cures by building up the muscular walls of the stomach, and making the stomach strong and perfect that it is able without artificial help to digest an ordinary meal with ease, and without discomfort.

The experience of Mr. Goodiel is a common one, and it is safe to say that Mi-o-na tablets have cured more acute and chronic diseases of the stomach than any other medicine. A. A. Clarke sells it at 50 cents a box, and guarantees it to cure or money back.

Indian Massacre Remembered.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Nov. 24.—The Moravian Historical Society of this place hold exercises today in observance of the anniversary of the massacre by Indians of the Moravian missionaries at Gnadenhuetton, November 24, 1755. The massacre, which occurred on the site of the present town of Leighton, was one of the bloodiest events in the history of the Lehigh Valley.

Parlor Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a parlor meeting Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. B. Brown on North Pittsburg street. All members of the Union and their friends are invited to attend.

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All secret and private troubles quickly cured.

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Winter goods of every description at prices that will keep money in your pocket. We are not exactly giving goods away, but we are giving them to you at a saving of 20c on the dollar. Come in and see.

Ladies Rubbers, sizes 2½ to 7, either storm or ordinary cut, excellent quality, pair 39c
Children's Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2, storm cut, pair 35c
Ladies' Alaska cloth lined Rubbers, sizes 3 to 6, pair 49c
Men's Arctic Overshoes, all sizes, pair 99c
Men's Alaska Rubbers, fleece lined, sizes 6 to 10, pair 75c
Railroad Men's Arctics, extra heavy double sole and extra tap heel, fleece lined, pair $1.25
Men's Felt Boots, with high perfection solid gum over good heavy felts, sizes 6 to 11, pair $1.99
Boys' Felt Boots, sizes 2 to 5½, pair $1.75
Youths' Felt Boots, sizes 11 to 2, pair $1.25
Little Gents' Felt Boots, sizes 6 to 11, pair 99c

SHOES.

The Whitcomb Shoe for men, in all leathers, patent, box calf or gun metal, in blucher or button, all have oak soles and are made up in the latest styles, pair $2.99
The American Gentleman Shoe for men, all styles, all leathers, all sizes, pair $3.50

Men's High Top Work Shoes, tan leather, oak soles, solid leather throughout, a regular $3.00 shoes, special price, pair $1.99
A big assortment of Men's Work Shoes, for $1.49 down to $1.25
The American Lady Shoe for women, all styles, all leathers, pair $2.99
Ladies' Winter Tan Shoes, button with undressed kid top, the newest on the market, pair $2.49
10 styles Ladies' Shoes, all leathers, all styles, pair $2.49
Ladies' Dress Shoes in seven styles, a big variety of leathers, pair $1.99
Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes, $1.49 and $1.25
Misses' Fine Shoes, sizes 11½ to 2, solid throughout, pair $1.25
Girls' Fine Shoes, sizes 5 to 11½, pair 99c
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Have you seen those Hats we are selling for $2.99? If you are looking for a swell Hat at a small price, and have not seen these, you have missed a great opportunity to save money. Look them over, the quality, the style, the materials used and you will find they are superior to any $5.00 Hat shown elsewhere. These $2.99 Hats are only one of our many Hat bargains. For $4.00, $5.00, $7.49 and $9.98, we are showing Hats that can travel in any $25.00 company. Come in and look them over. A look will do more to convince you than a page of advertising.

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New Currents, lb. 10c
3 Bottles Choice Catsup 25c
12 boxes Fast Mail Matches, (2400) 9c
Yellow Corn Meal, new 10-lb. sack 25c
Almonds, new, paper shell, pound 18c
Citron and Lemon Peel, lb. 20c
Mountain Pure Maple Syrup, gallon $1.20
Mountain Pure Buckwheat Flour, sack 40c
25 lb. Sack Best Granulated Sugar $1.30
Quaker Wheat Berries, box 7c
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TRY OUR WANT COLUMN—ONE CENT A WORD.

KELLOGG CALLS ARCHBOLD TODAY.

Vice President of Standard to Tell His Story

AFTER HIS CHIEF CONCLUDES.

John D. Rockefeller, Completing His Cross-Examination, Says Archbold and Samuel S. T. Todd Conceived the Idea of the Standard.

New York, Nov. 24.—After he has concluded the cross-examination of John D. Rockefeller today Frank B. Kellogg will call John D. Archbold, vice president of the Standard Oil company, to the witness stand. It is expected Mr. Archbold's testimony will take several days.

Credit for the creation of the Standard Oil trust, which counsel for the federal government claim still exists as the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, was given by Mr. Rockefeller, in continuing his testimony, to two men—Henry M. Flagler and Samuel C. T. Todd. To these two master architects of the oil combine Mr. Rockefeller gives full credit, saying that he was sure it was not himself, as he did not possess the ability for so progressive a move.

Mr. Rockefeller spent an arduous day on the stand under the incessant questioning of Frank B. Kellogg, the government counsel, and when adjournment was taken he gave every evidence of delight that the day was done. Counsel hope to conclude Mr. Rockefeller's cross-examination today.

Frank B. Kellogg, who with other government investigators has been endeavoring for over a year to obtain the missing stock transfer books of the Standard Oil trust, sought through Mr. Rockefeller to find the missing trail to these books, and Mr. Rockefeller promised to do what he could to find them. Mr. Rockefeller's examination carried him through the period of the Standard Oil trust and the years of its subsequent liquidation, which lasted from 1892 to 1899.

Mr. Rockefeller's memory at times was not clear on the definite details of this trust liquidation period and he told counsel that he could not recall many of the incidents and developments of that time. During the day Mr. Kellogg developed from Mr. Rockefeller that early in the industrial existence of the Standard the presidents of two railroad companies, together with several railroad directors, were stockholders in the oil combination.

After adjournment Mr. Rockefeller told an inquiring audience of reporters that there were better things in the world than making money, and since 1891 he had been gradually retiring from business. He added:

"There is more important work than making money and there is much for me to do. I belong to the brotherhood of man."

MYSTERIOUSLY MISSING

Are Important Papers From Cuyahoga County Archives.

Cleveland, Nov. 24.—County Clerk Charles P. Salen, subpenaed to produce at the Standard Oil hearing in New York valuable legal papers wanted by Attorney Kellogg, has found that the documents have mysteriously disappeared.

Among the missing files are a dozen affidavits made by Standard Oil chiefs, including one by John D. Rockefeller, president, and others by Oliver H. Payne, then with the company, and the remainder by men who were prominent in the Standard Oil in the eighties, many of whom are still big factors in the oil company.

A petition filed here in 1890 by which Standard Oil sought to "eliminate" William Scholfield, a Cleveland refiner, is also gone. It is wanted by the prosecution in the government's present case.

To remove papers from public records is an indictable offense under Ohio statute, punishable by heavy penalty. Only at rare intervals are legal papers allowed to be taken from the courthouse and then only with the written sanction of a judge. Levi Meachem, as county clerk, certified to the presence of the papers in 1892.

CUMMINS IS ELECTED

Realizes His Ambition to Represent Iowa in U. S. Senate.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 24.—Today, just fifteen years to a day since his first candidacy for the United States senate was announced, Governor Albert B. Cummins was elected to that position to succeed the late William B. Allison, who defeated Cummins only last June in the Republican primaries. Governor Cummins's first candidacy was an attempt to succeed James F. Wilson. Governor Cummins won in the Republican primary held on Nov. 3 by a majority of 42,647 over Major Lacey, his opponent.

The Democrats put in nomination Claude R. Porter, who was selected as the Democratic candidate for United States senator at the primaries last June. He received the Democratic minority vote. Governor Cummins will resign the governorship immediately.

Illinois Puts Up the Bars.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 24.—Governor Deneen has issued a proclamation prohibiting importation of live stock from New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

STIRS UP HORNET'S NEST

Carnegie Incurs Wrath of Those Who Want Protection.

New York, Nov. 24.—Andrew Carnegie has stirred up a hornet's nest by his magazine article in which he advocates the abolition of duty on steel.

The chief independent companies are the Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, Lackawanna, Cambria and Maryland. While none of the managers or heads of departments of these concerns for obvious reasons cared to give their names for publication, yet one in close touch with the steel industry said:

"Mr. Carnegie's views are sure to be resented by the independents and, in fact, by many of his friends. He cannot convince congress of his statement that the cost per ton for labor in Germany is greater than in the United States, unusually high as our wages are at present. What will organized labor say to this, too? Mr. Carnegie is one of the great beneficiaries of the tariff; if not, where would his vast holdings of United States Steel bonds be? It looks as if Mr. Carnegie is trying to strike a blow at the outsiders.

"It is true that we made last year about 23,000,000 tons of steel more than Germany, Great Britain, France and Belgium combined. But what of that? This is not sentiment. We want to make all we can and sell all we can and where can Mr. Carnegie point out that the steelworker or anybody else using steel would be more than incidentally benefited?"

In regard to his recommendation that the virtual duties on oil be cut off Mr. Carnegie also seems to have stirred up among oil men some comment more or less of a biting character.

PREACHERS DIFFER WITH ROOSEVELT.

They Say in Effect That No Man Can Serve Two Masters With Credit.

New York, Nov. 24.—In a resolution adopted at its meeting the Presbyterian Ministers' association of this city expressed disagreement with President Roosevelt's statement in a recent letter that refusal to vote for a candidae for high office because he is a Roman Catholic is "narrow, unwarranted bigotry." The ministers indorsed the letter sent recently by the New York Lutheran ministers to the president dissenting from his view of the matter.

"It is clear," says the resolution adopted, "that the policy of the vatican—the claim to supremacy in temporal things as well as spiritual—renders it inadvisable on purely patriotic grounds to vote into high office a man who holds allegiance first to the pope and then to the people."

WESTMORELAND HOGS

Said to Have Been Infected by Aphthous Fever.

Philadelphia, Nov. 24.—In their efforts to prevent the spread of the aphthous fever among cattle in this city the authorities have destroyed a number of cows and sheep that had been in contact with the animals found to be suffering from the disease. The cattle were killed, thrown into large trenches and covered with quicklime, after which cordwood was piled over them and burned.

No more cases have been reported here, but a report from Danville, where the state and federal officers have been making their headquarters, states that new cases have been discovered in Dauphin and Potter counties and the southern end of Northumberland county. It was also reported that the disease had made its appearance among hogs in Westmoreland county and that several had died from the fever. Inspectors were at once sent to the localities. They will make a report of the situation today. It was also stated that eighteen cattle had been killed at Willistown, Chester county.

CLEVELAND STOCKYARDS

Crowded With Cattle in Effort to Escape Aphthous Fever.

Cleveland, Nov. 24.—As a result of the quarantine placed upon stockyards in New York and Pennsylvania, due to aphthous fever, Cleveland has become for the first time in its history an important live stock distributing center.

Cattle, sheep and hogs, in transit from all western points to the stockyards at Buffalo and other eastern cities, are pouring into Cleveland to be taken care of until the quarantine is raised.

One result of the influx of cattle may be the cheapening of the price of meat in Cleveland. This is not assured as yet, but officers of the Cleveland Provision company and of the stockyards admit the likelihood of a reduction in meat prices here if the quarantine at other points lasts for a considerable time.

Few New Cases Reported.

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 24.—Few new cases of foot and mouth disease have been reported to the headquarters of the state livestock sanitary board. A number of additional federal inspectors have joined the men now working in the twelve infected counties under Dr. Pearson.

Find First Body in Brooklyn Trench.

New York, Nov. 24.—Workmen digging in the Brooklyn trench where fifteen persons lost their lives in an explosion last Friday came upon the first of the buried victims' bodies—that of Vincent Doherty, age seven, one of the five children supposed to have been buried in the cave-in. The body was encountered about forty-five feet below the street level.

TO BE MOST COSTLY ROAD IN AMERICA.

Line Between Portland and Seattle Is Nearly Completed.

MANY HIGH BRIDGES ON LINE.

To Survey Road Along Columbia River Engineers Were Suspended Over Cliffs With Ropes—Will Be Coupled By First of Year.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 24.—Regarded by engineers as a marvel of construction is the Spokane, Portland & Seattle Railway, 423 miles, the most direct line between this city and Portland, which will be completed January 1, 1909. The road, built jointly by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific systems, is the most expensive in America, the cost of much of it ranging from $250,000 to $500,000 a mile. Twenty-five miles of track remains to be laid between Spokane and Pasco, and this work will be completed in two weeks. Besides this there are two bridges a mile apart near Devil's canyon. One is 1,100 feet in length and 220 feet high, while the other is 1,000 feet in length and 160 feet above the ground in the center.

The line will permit of longer trains being hauled over it than on any other road in the country. The most severe grade is four-tenths of one per cent, and between Cheney, Spokane county, and Portland, the line is down grade. There are no sharp curvatures, the greatest being three degrees; and, as a result, one locomotive can pull from Spokane to Portland as many cars as it can start on level ground. This is expected to set new records for heavy loading.

The road has been built without regard to expense, the purpose being to make it permanent safe. An idea of this may be gained when it is known that 20 miles of line between Pasco and Kahlotus, south of here, cost $5,000,000, or $250,000 a mile, while a mile of road along the bluffs overhanging Snake river involved an expenditure of $500,000. To survey and build this part of the line, which follows the Columbia river, men were suspended over the cliffs with ropes; but while there were many narrow escapes, not a life was lost nor any one seriously injured.

BILLEK'S MOTHER WILL GO TO HIM.

Aged Woman Believes That Life of Her Son May Yet Be Spared.

Cleveland, Nov. 24.—"I will go to my son if I am able to get on a train," exclaimed Mrs. Barbara Billek, mother of Herman Billek, who is to be hanged in Chicago Dec. 11 for the murder of the Vrzal family.

Mrs. Billek, sixty-eight years old, afflicted with asthma and said by physicians to be dying of dropsy, has hoped steadily that her son's life would be saved. Even now with Billek's death warrant signed for a date only three weeks away, she does not despair of a reprieve.

"He has been reprieved before. He may get another respite," she cried. "He is innocent; how can they kill him?"

GROPED IN THE FOG

Injured Lighthouse Keeper Seeks All Night for Shore and Aid.

Toledo, O., Nov. 24.—Suffering from serious burns, Captain Gus Gramer, keeper of the Toledo harbor lighthouse in Lake Erie, four miles from the nearest land, and his assistant, Fred Delaney, groped about in Maumee bay for eight hours before medical assistance could be secured.

Captain Gramer was lighting the engine that operates the fog signal when a can of alcohol exploded, badly cooking the flesh of his right arm. The lighthouse launch was lowered and the injured man and a companion started for Toledo, but lost their way in the fog. They drifted about for eight hours before land was sighted.

FIRST TRIP THE LAST ONE.

Driver Hauling Nitro-Glycerin Resigns by Telephone.

Oil City, Pa., Nov. 24.—Between Corydon and Warren, abandoned at the roadside, is a stock wagon containing 480 quarts of nitroglycerin. The driver for a local firm was hauling it here from a magazine for distribution. It was his first experience.

Speculating on the result of an explosion, he grew nervous, unhitched the team and telephoned the firm to send another man to finish the journey, explaining he had resigned and would come to Oil City on a train.

Servia Removes Treasure to Safety.

Belgrade, Servia, Nov. 24. — Seventeen carloads of coin and the archives of the national bank have been removed from this city to the fort at Nish. This step was taken because the government fears that Austria will make a raid on Belgrade, the capital. It is rumored that the government also will be removed to Nish.

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FORMER TAMMANY CHIEF, WHO AGAIN VISITS AMERICA.

RICHARD CROKER.

Richard Croker, ex-Tammany Chief, who arrived from Ireland last Friday, declares positively that he is out of politics for all time and that his visit has no political significance whatever. He announced that he would spend the winter in California or some other part of the United States where the climate is temperate. He is in perfect health.

CHARGE DISCRIMINATION

Cambria County Coal Companies Sue Pennsylvania Railroad.

Philadelphia, Nov. 24.—Charging that the railroad company discriminated against them in the matter of supplying coal cars the Puritan Coal Mining company and the Stineman Coal Mining company, both of Cambria county, Pa., filed suits against the Pennsylvania Railroad company in the United States circuit court here for damages aggregating $333,606.

The plaintiffs operate bituminous mines and allege that from April 1, 1902, to Jan. 1, 1905, they had a constant demand for coal greatly in excess of the tonnage of cars allowed them by the railroad company.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Wet weather, present and prospective, in the winter wheat belt of this country, caused weakness in the local wheat market today, prices at the close being down ½ to ⅞@1 cent, compared with Saturday's final quotations. Corn, oats and provisions were firm. December options closed: Wheat, 103½@103⅝; corn, 64⅞; oats, 49½.

Pittsburg Markets.

Butter—Prints, 33@33½; tubs, 32½@33; Ohio cream, 30@31.

Eggs—Selected, 34@35.

Cattle—Receipts 90 loads; market strong on all grades of butcher cattle. Choice, $6@6.25; prime, $5.75@6; good, $5.40@5.70; tidy butchers, $4.85@5.25; fair, $4@450; bulls, $2@4.50; heifers, $2.50@5; fresh cows and springers, $25@50; common to fair, $20@25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 12 double decks; market steady on best sheep; ten cents higher on lambs. Prime wethers, $4.15@4.25; good mixed, $3.60@4; fair mixed, $3@3.50; culls and common, $1.50@2.50; lambs, $4@5.75; veal calves, $7.50@8; heavy and thin calves, $4.50@5.50.

Hogs — Receipts 60 double decks; market active and five to ten cents higher on good weight grades; light yorkers and pigs not wanted. Prime $6@6.10; medium, $5.85@5.90.

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CANNON FAVORS PROMPT ACTION.

Declares for Revision In Accordance With Pledges.

IS DUE IN WASHINGTON TODAY.

Where It Is Believed That His Presence Will Put An End to Reports That President-Elect Taft Will Oppose His Re-election as Speaker.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Joseph G. Cannon, speaker of the house of representatives, who is in Chicago en route to Washington, placed himself on record in favor of a revision of the tariff in accordance with the promise of the Republican party platform and declared that so far as his vote was concerned he would see to it that the announced policy of revision would be written in the national laws as soon as possible.

The words of the speaker came at the conclusion of a luncheon given by Alexander H. Revell of Chicago in the Union league club. His words were:

"Any change in the revenue laws of the country of necessity is followed by a depression of business. Three years ago I followed the lead of Theodore Roosevelt, who declared that there should be no revision of the revenue laws, which means the tariff, until after the next general election. His policy was not to change existing conditions. The Republican platform on which the national contest has been won says, Revise the revenue laws. That revision should be with due regard to protection and penalty against discriminatory nations. As a member of the next house of representatives, a coordinate branch of the government equal to the executive and the judiciary, and I will be there if I live, I am going, so far as my vote is concerned, to see to it that the policy of the Republican party on this question is written in the national laws as promptly as possible. The law should be written promptly so that business can adjust itself to changed conditions; for the change will of necessity bring disturbances."

UNCLE JOE EXPECTED

It Is Said He Will Reach Understanding With Taft.

Washington, Nov. 4.—The arrival of Speaker Cannon today is awaited by his friends with the belief that his presence will put an end to the reports that President-elect Taft will oppose his reelection to the speakership. As the members of the present congress who are to serve in the Sixty-first congress arrive the interest in the speakership grows and is rapidly becoming the principal theme of discussion.

The attitude of Speaker Cannon on the tariff is understood by most of the representatives to be the principal objection that will be raised against his reelection as speaker, and it is believed that he will make his position so clear when he arrives, both by word and action, that there will be a complete and agreeable understanding reached between the speaker and Mr. Taft in regard to the revision. It is understood that no arrangements have been made for a conference between the two. Speaker Cannon's friends say that he would hardly go to Hot Springs to confer with the president-elect without an invitation.

CARNEGIE INVITED

Ways and Means Committee Wants His Tariff Testimony.

Washington, Nov. 24.—As a result of the declaration of Andrew Carnegie in an article in the forthcoming number of the Century magazine that the tariff schedules on iron and steel should be reduced, the ways and means committee of the house has formally invited Mr. Carnegie to appear before it this week to tell what he knows about the steel industry and the possibility of the reduction of the tariff on iron and steel products.

The committee desires him to appear preferably tomorrow, when the iron and steel schedule will be taken up in the hearing now being held by the committee looking toward a revision of the tariff. The hearings on the iron and steel rates will continue until Friday, and if Mr. Carnegie finds it impossible to appear Wednesday the committee is anxious to hear him on Thursday or Friday.

Bonaparte Files Petition.

Washington, Nov. 24. — Attorney General Bonaparte has filed a petition for a writ of certiorari in the supreme court of the United States urging that court to issue a writ of certiorari to the circuit court of appeals for the seventh circuit to review the judgment of that court reversing the rulings of Judge Landis in the case in which the Standard Oil company was fined $29,240,000 on the charge of violating the anti-trust law.

Sends Stork to Roosevelt.

Elwood, Ind., Nov. 24.—George Myers, an old-time trapper and fisherman of this city, will send to President Roosevelt a snow-white stork which the hunter found in the swamps adjacent to White River, south of Perkinsville.

Octogenarian Suicide.

Oil City, Pa., Nov. 24.—Despondent over the recent death of a son, A. H. Ramson of Youngville, age eighty, committed suicide by shooting.

AT THE SOISSON.

The Boy With the Boodle.

There will be no suggestion of a financial stringency at the Soisson theatre Thanksgiving, matinee and night, when Howard Hall's musical comedy, "The Boy With the Boodle," will be offered. George D. Mackey, the well known leading man who for the past nine seasons a popular favorite among theatre goers will be seen at the head of a carefully selected company of well known artists. The story of the play takes the auditor from the slums of New York to the gold fields of Nevada. A new invention used by Mr. Mackey to produce a "Mirage on the Desert" in this production is one of the greatest achievements of the present century, puzzling the most scientific. By the aid of this wonderful invention, animated objects are evolved from space and revealed to the auditor without the aid of photography or films, by an intricate mechanism of lenses. Seats on sale at the box office of the theatre today.

A Knight for a Day.

"A Knight for a Day," one of the musical comedy successes of recent seasons, is the attraction at the Soisson theatre Saturday, matinee and night, November 28. The cast of 70 including Comedian John Slavin and Miss May Vokes, remains the same as the one that presented it at Wallack's theatre, New York, for pratically an entire season. The production in late May opened in Boston where it has been playing to the same steadily crowded audiences, that have marked

May Voke,
With "A Knight for a Day."

its career from its beginning two years ago in Chicago, where at the Whitney theatre, it consummated a run of 607 nights. Uproarious fun in irresistible comic situations and rare charm in its girly ensembles and its stage pictures are accredited elements making for its sensational success. A score, too, said to be among the most musical of recent years, is another noticeable feature. Comedian Slavin's role is that of a little waiter who essays to pass himself off as a knight. Miss Vokes appears in one of her characteristic slave roles, the part, however, according to broad concession surpassing the laugh qualities of each of her other "servant lady" types. Girly ensembles includes the Sweet Grit Graduate, The Merry Madcaps, The See-Saw Flirts, The Corsican Belles, The Stage Door Coquettes, The Candle Light Girls and The Grand Opera Coryphees. Song hits include "The Little Girl in Blue," "Life is a See-Saw," "The Garden of Dreams," "Hurrah, Hurray and Hurroo for That," "Whistle as You Walk Out," "What Fools We Mortals Be" and "I'd Like Another Situation Just Like That."

Light Opera Announcement.

The Herald Square Comic Opera Company in a musical comedy hit, entitled "A Trip to India," is an attraction of exceptional merit that is booked for next Monday evening, November 30, at the Soisson theatre. The engagement will be for three days and the bills for Tuesday and Wednesday nights, respectively, are "The Mascot" and "Mikado," Wednesday matinee, "Girofle-Girofla." Seats on sale at the box office of theatre today.

TORNADO HITS ARKANSAS

Heavy Loss of Life Is Reported From Remote Districts.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 24.—A dispatch from Russellville, Ark., says that between twelve and twenty persons were killed in a tornado which swept through the settlement of Piney and that about thirty other persons were injured. Dispatches also report that the towns of Wallerville and Jethro, in Franklin county, were almost demolished and that several persons were killed in each place.

Only indefinite reports have been received thus far. The report states that the tornado crossed the Arkansas river just south of Piney and that timber tracts and a number of buildings were destroyed. Piney is near London, where first reports stat so much damage was done.

It was reported at Van Buren that five persons were killed northeast of Mulberry and a number injured. Because of the remoteness of the towns from the railroad and telegraph, only meager reports are available.

JOLT FIRES SHOTGUN

Boy Starting on Hunt Accidentally Kills Girl in Kitchen.

Altoona, Pa., Nov. 24.—Maggie Garver, age sixteen, who had made her home for six years with the family of Mr. and Mrs. John Heisel at Point View, Blair county, was accidentally killed.

Ellis Heisel, age twelve, about to go hunting, was leaving the house by way of the kitchen door when his gun, striking against the frame, was discharged. Miss Garver, who was going about her work in the kitchen, was hit in the head and instantly killed.

INTO THE PRIMITIVE

BY ROBERT AMES BENNET

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"I hope he hasn't gone far. I'm half famished. Aren't you?"

"Really, Miss Genevieve, it is odd, you know. Not an hour since, the very thought of food—"

"And now you're as hungry as I am. Oh, I do wish he had not gone off just at the wrong time!"

"He went to take a dip in the sea. You know, he got so messed up over the nastiest part of the work, which I positively refused to do—"

"What's that beyond the bamboos? There's something alive!"

"Pray, don't be alarmed. It is—er—it's all right, Miss Genevieve, I assure you."

"But what is it? Such queer noises, and I see something alive!"

"Only the vultures, if you must know. Nothing else, I assure you."

"Oh!"

"It is all out of sight from the spring. You are not to go around the bamboos until the—that is, not to-day."

"Did Mr. Blake say that?"

"Why, yes—to be sure. He also said to tell you that the cutlets were on the top shelf."

"You mean—?"

"His way of ordering you to cook our dinner. Really, Miss Genevieve, I should be pleased to take your place, but I have been told to keep to this. It is hard to take orders from a low fellow—very hard for a gentleman, you know."

Miss Leslie gazed at her shapely hands. Three days since she could not have conceived of their being so rough and scratched and dirty. Yet her disgust at their condition was not entirely unqualified.

"At least I have something to show for them," she murmured.

"I beg pardon," said Winthrope.

"Just look at my hands—like a servant's! And yet I am not nearly so ashamed of them as I would have fancied. It is very amusing, but do you know, I actually feel proud that I have done something—something useful, I mean."

"Useful?—I call it shocking, Miss Genevieve. It is simply vile that people of our breeding should be compelled to do such menial work. They write no end of romances about castaways; but I fail to see the romance in scraping skins Indian fashion, as this fellow Blake calls it."

"I suppose, though, we should remember how much Mr. Blake is doing for us, and should try to make the best of the situation."

"It has no best. It is all a beastly muddle," complained Winthrope, and he resumed his nervous scraping at the big leopard skin.

The girl studied his face for a moment, and turned away. She had been trying so hard to forget.

He heard her leave, and called after, without looking up: "Please remember. He said to cook some meat."

She did not answer. Having satisfied her thirst at the spring, she took one of the bamboo rods, with its haggled blackening pieces of flesh, and returned to the fire. After some little experimenting, she contrived a way to support the rod beside the fire so that all the meat would roast without burning.

At first, keen as was her hunger, she turned with disgust from the flabby sun-scared flesh; but as it began to roast, the odor restored her appetite to full vigor. Her mouth fairly watered. It seemed as though Winthrope and Blake would never come. She heard their voices, and took the bamboo spit from the fire for the meat to cool. Still they failed to appear, and, unable to wait longer, she began to eat. The cub meat proved far more tender than that of the old leopard. She had helped herself to the second piece before the two men appeared.

"Hold on, Miss Jenny; fair play!" sang out Blake. "You're set to without tooting the dinner-horn. I don't blame you, though. That smells mighty good."

Both men caught at the hot meat with eagerness, and Winthrope promptly forgot all else in the animal pleasure of satisfying his hunger. Blake, though no less hungry, only waited to fill his mouth before investigating the condition of the prospective tree ladder. The result of the attempt to burn the trunk did not seem encouraging to the others, and Miss Leslie looked away, that her face might not betray her, should he have an inkling of her neglect. She was relieved by the cheerfulness of his tone.

"Slow work, this fire business—eh? Guess, though, it'll go faster this afternoon. The green wood is killed and is getting dried out. Anyway, we've got to keep at it till the tree goes over. This spring leopard won't last long at the present rate of consumption; and we'll need the eggs to keep us going till we get the hang of our bows."

"What is that smoke back there?" interrupted Miss Leslie. "Can it be that the fire down the cleft has sprung up again?"

"No; it's your fumigation. You had plenty of brush on hand, so I heaved it into the hole and touched it off. While it's burning out you can put in time gathering ring grass and leaves for a bed."

"Would you and Mr. Winthrope mind breaking off some bamboos for me?"

"What for?"

Miss Leslie colored and hesitated. "I—I should like to divide off a corner of the place with a wall or screen."

Winthrope tried to catch Blake's eye; but the American was gazing at Miss Leslie's embarrassed face with a puzzled look. Her meaning dawned upon him, and he hastened to reply.

"All right, Miss Jenny. You can build your wall to suit yourself. But there'll be no hurry over it. Until the rains begin, Win and I'll sleep out in the open. We'll have to take turn about on watch at night, anyway. If we don't keep up a fire some other spotted kitty will be sure to come nosing up the gully."

"There must also be lions in the vicinity," added Winthrope.

Miss Leslie said nothing until after the last pieces of meat had been handed around and Blake sprang up to resume work.

"Mr. Blake," she called, in a low tone; "one moment, please. Would it save much bother if a door was made and you and Mr. Winthrope should sleep inside?"

"We'll see about that later," replied Blake, carelessly.

The girl bit her lip, and the tears started to her eyes. Even Winthrope had started off without expressing his appreciation. Yet he at least should have realized how much it had cost her to make such an offer.

By evening she had her tree-cave—house, she preferred to name it to herself—in a habitable condition. When the purifying fire had burnt itself out, leaving the place free from all odors other than the wholesome smell of wood smoke, she had asked Blake how she could rake out the ashes. His advice was to wet them down where they lay.

This was easier said than done. Fortunately the spring was only a few yards distant, and after many trips, with her palm-leaf hat for bowl, the girl carried enough water to sprinkle all the powdery ashes. Over them she strewed the leaves and grass which she had gathered while the fire was burning. The driest of the grass, arranged in a far corner, promised a more comfortable bed than had been her lot for the last three nights.

During this work she had been careful not to forget the fire at the tree. Yet when, near sundown, she called the third meal of leopard meat, Blake grumbled at the tree for being what he termed such a confounded tough proposition.

"Good thing there's lots of wood here, Win," he added. "We'll keep this fire going till the blamed thing topples over, if it takes a year."

"Oh, but you surely will not stay so far from the baobab to-night!" exclaimed Miss Leslie.

"Hold hard!" soothed Blake. "You've no license to get the jumps yet a while. We'll have another fire by the baobab. So you needn't worry."

A few minutes later they went back to the baobab, and Winthrop began

He at Once Began Experiments in the Art of Pottery.

helping Miss Leslie to construct a bamboo screen in the narrow entrance of the tree-cave, while Blake built the second fire.

As Winthrope was unable to tell time by the stars, Blake took the first watch. At sunset, following the engineer's advice, Winthrope lay down with his feet to the small watch-fire, and was asleep before twilight had deepened into night. Fagged out by the mental and bodily stress of the day, he slept so soundly that it seemed to him he hardly lost consciousness when he was roused by a rough hand on his forehead.

"What is it?" he mumbled.

"'Bout one o'clock," said Blake. "Wake up! I ran overtime, 'cause the morning watch is the toughest. But I can't keep 'wake any longer."

"I say, this is a beastly bore," remarked Winthrope, sitting up.

"Um-m," grunted Blake, who was already on his back.

Winthrope rubbed his eyes, rose wearily, and drew a blazing stick from the fire. With this upraised as a torch he peered around into the darkness and advanced towards the spring.

When, having satisfied his thirst, he returned somewhat hurriedly to the fire, he was startled by the sight of a pale face gazing at him from between the leaves of the bamboo screen.

"My dear Miss Genevieve, what is the matter?" he exclaimed.

"Hush! Is he asleep?"

"Like a top."

"Thank heaven! Good-night."

"Good-night—er—I say, Miss Genevieve—"

But the girl disappeared, and Winthrope, after a glance at Blake's placid face, hurried along the cleft to stack the other fire. When he returned he noticed two bamboo rods which Blake had begun to shape into bow staves. He looked them over, with a sneer at Blake's seemingly unskillful workmanship; but he made no attempt to finish the bows.

CHAPTER XI.

A Despoiled Wardrobe.

SOON after sunrise Miss Leslie was awakened by the snap and dull crash of a falling tree. She made a hasty toilet and ran out around the baobab. The burned tree, eaten half through by the fire, had been pushed over against the cliff by Blake and Winthrope. Both had already climbed up and now stood on the edge of the cliff.

"Hello, Miss Jenny!" shouted Blake. "We've got here at last. Want to come up?"

"Not now, thank you."

"It's easy enough. But you're right. Try your hand again at the cutlets, won't you? While they're frying we'll get some eggs for dessert. How does that strike you?"

"We have no way to cook them."

"Roast 'em in the ashes. So long!"

Miss Leslie cooked breakfast over the watchfire, for the other had been scattered and stamped out by the men when the tree fell. They came back in good time, walking carefully, that they might not break the eggs with which their pockets bulged. Between them, they had brought a round dozen and a half. Blake promptly began stowing all in the hot ashes, while Winthrope related their little adventure with unwonted enthusiasm.

"You should have come with us, Miss Genevieve," he began. "This time of day it is glorious on the cliff top. Though the rock is bare, there is a fine view—"

"Fine view of grub near the end," interpolated Blake.

"As, yes; the birds—you must take a look at them, Miss Genevieve! The sea end of the cliff is alive with them—hundreds and thousands, all huddled together and fighting for room. They are a sight, I assure you! They're plucky, too. It was well we took sticks with us. As it was, one of the gannets—boobies, Blake calls them—caught me a nasty nip when I went to lift her off the nest."

"Best way is to kick them off," explained Blake. "But the point is that we've hopped over the starvation stile. Understand? The whole blessed cliff end is an omelette waiting for our pan. Pass the leopardettes, Miss Jenny."

When the last bit of meat had disappeared, Blake raked the eggs from the ashes and began to crack them, solemnly sniffing at each before he laid it on its leaf platter. Some were a trifle "high." None, however, were thrown away.

When it was all over, Winthrope contemplated the scattered shells with a satisfied air.

"Do you know," he remarked, "this is the first time I've felt—er—replenished since we found those coconuts."

"How about one of 'em now to top off on?" questioned Blake.

Miss Leslie sighed. "Why did you speak of them? I am still hungry enough to eat more eggs—a dozen—that is, if we had a little salt and butter."

"And a silver cup and napkins!" added Blake. "About the salt, though, we'll have to get some before long, and some kind of vegetable food. It won't do to keep up this whole meat menu."

"If only those little bamboo sprouts were as good as they look—like a kind of asparagus!" murmured Miss Leslie.

"I've heard that the Chinese eat them," said Winthrope.

"They eat rats, too," commented Blake.

"We might at least try them," persisted Miss Leslie.

"How? Raw?"

"I have heard papa tell of roasting corn when he was a boy."

"That's so; and roasting-ears are better than boiled. Win, I guess we'll have a sample of bamboo asparagus a la Les-lee!"

Winthrope took the penknife and fetched a handful of young sprouts from the bamboo thicket. They were heated over the coals on a grill of green branches and devoured half raw.

"Say," mumbled Blake, as he ruminated on the last shoot, "we're getting on some for this small hole of a coast house, and chicken ranch and vegetables in our front yard. We've got old Robbie Cruson beat, hands down, on the start-off, and he with his shiptul of stuff for handicap!"

"Then you believe that the situation looks more hopeful, Mr. Blake?"

"Well, we've at least got an extension on our note for a week or two. But I'm not going to coddle you with a lot of lies, Miss Jenny. There's the fever coming, sure as fate. I may stave it off a while; you and Win, ten to one, will be down in a few days—and not a smell of quinine in our commissary. Then there'll be dysentery and snakes and wild beasts— No; we're not out of the woods yet, not by a—considerable."

(To be Continued.)

Anty Drudge to the Rescue.

Dorothy—"Just look, Anty, what this absentminded Gussie did. I asked him to put a cushion on my chair and the chocolates on the table and he did it just the other way. I don't know whether these stains will ever come out."

Anty Drudge—"Oh! Yes, they will, Dorothy. Don't let that ruffle the course of true love. A little Fels-Naptha in lukewarm water will take out any kind of stains in a twinkling. Make Gussie get you a cake of Fels-Naptha and you can do it yourself with only the least bit of work."

If it were only to save women who wash clothes from getting red and chapped hands in Winter-time, Fels-Naptha soap would be a great blessing.

Most everyone knows that putting the hands in hot water is what makes them red and rough. Then, when exposed to cold air, they crack and chap.

With Fels-Naptha, you use only lukewarm water. Your hands don't suffer.

And yet Fels-Naptha cleanses your clothes more thoroughly in lukewarm water, without boiling or hot suds or hard rubbing, than any other way of washing.

Not only the white things, but woolens, flannels, colored fabrics.

Fels-Naptha is the very best soap to wash with all the year round.

It is especially good in winter.

Try it. It will save your health, save work, trouble, fuel and discomfort.

Follow the simple directions printed on the red and green wrapper.

TRI-STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Chester, Pa., Nov. 24.—The strike of the motormen and conductors of the Chester Traction company, which began on April 13, has been officially declared off.

Springfield, O., Nov. 24.—It is announced that Clifton P. Grant, a young Republican attorney of this city, will be appointed executive clerk by Governor-elect Harmon.

Altoona, Pa., Nov. 24.—The storage house of the Sanitary Suction Cleaning company and eight adjoining buildings in the south section of the city have burned; loss, 12,000.

Wapakoneta, O., Nov. 24.—The members of the Bryan and Kern club of New Bremen, O., have formed a permanent organization to be called the Bryan Democratic club.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 24.—Raymond and Herbert Smith, brothers age eleven and nine, respectively, were drowned at White Haven while skating on thin ice on the Lehigh river.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 24.—Miss Jennie May Gorton of Barton, N. Y., head nurse of the Pittston city hospital, is dead of scarlet fever Dr. Brown, the resident physician, is down with the same malady.

Titusville, Pa., Nov. 24. — Job E. Goldfinch, a prominent farmer residing near Union City, committed suicide by cutting his throat. Calling to his wife and family to watch him, he drew the keen edge of a razor across his throat.

Springfield, O., Nov. 24.—Antioch college at Yellow Springs has as a member of her football eleven the only one-armed player in the game. Eddington, the left end, is minus his right arm, but notwithstanding that he plays like a demon.

Chester, Pa., Nov. 24.—The firm of Robert Wetherill & Co. of this place has resumed operations on full time with a full complement of 1,500 workmen after experiencing what is said to be the longest dull period in the history of the concern.

Sandusky, O., Nov. 24.—At Parkerstown near here while workmen were opening up a stone quarry on the farm of D. T. Livengood an explosion occurred beneath the surface, opening a gap forty feet long, six inches wide and of unfathomable depth.

Pittsburg, Nov. 24.—Miss Lillian McKee, supervisor of art in the Northside high school, while on her way to school was struck by a train at Roselyn station, near Carnegie, and killed. Her body was thrown against W. S. Bell, who was severely injured.

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 24.—John A. Aulenbach of Reading, treasurer of the Socialist party in Pennsylvania, has filed a statement at the state department swearing that the recent campaign expenses of the party in Pennsylvania were less than $50.

Altoona, Nov. 24.—Some excitement has been caused here by the discovery of a vein of coal four to six inches thick at the foot of Brush mountain, a mile south of Altoona, on a tract of land leased by J. Strohmier for the purpose of quarrying building stone. It had been supposed that there was no coal in the Brush mountains.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT NOV. 22, 1908.

For CHICAGO—8.06 P. M., daily.

For CINCINNATI, ST. LOUIS and LOUISVILLE via PITTSBURG—5.00, 7.14 A. M. and 5.32 P. M. daily.

For PITTSBURG—Week days, 5.00, 7.14, 7.55, 10.15 A. M.; 4.35, 5.30, 6.45, 8.00 P. M.; Sundays, 5.00, 7.14, 7.55 A. M. and 4.35, 6.45 and 8.06 P. M.

For WASHINGTON, PA., and WHEELING—Week days, 5.00, 7.14, 10.15 A. M.; 4.35 and 8.16 P. M. Sundays, 5.00, 7.14 A. M.; 4.35 and 8.06 P. M.

For MT. PLEASANT—Week days, 10.25 A. M.

For UNIONTOWN—Week days, 10.00 A. M.; 4.45 and 6.50 P. M. Sundays, 10.00 A. M. and 6.50 P. M.

For MORGANTOWN and FAIRMONT—Week days, 10.00 A. M.; 4.45 and 6.50 P. M. Sundays, 10.00 A. M. and 6.50 P. M.

For BUFFALO, N. Y., and CLEVELAND, O.—5.00, 7.14, 7.55, 10.15 A. M.; 4.35, 5.32, 6.45 and 8.06 P. M.

For WASHINGTON, BALTIMORE, PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BOSTON and all points in the East—Express daily, 9.45 A. M.; 3.00, 7.44 and 11.45 P. M.

For CONFLUENCE—8.45 A. M. and 3.00 and 4.50 P. M. week days; 8.45 A. M. and 3.00 P. M. Sundays.

For C. & O. BRANCH POINTS—8.45 A. M., week days only.

For JOHNSTOWN and points on the S. & C. BRANCH—Week days, 8.45, 9.45 A. M.; 3.00 P. M. Sundays, 3.00 P. M.

For BERLIN—Week days, 3.00 P. M.

For CUMBERLAND—Daily Express trains, 9.45 A. M.; 3.00, 7.44 and 11.45 P. M. Daily Accommodation trains, 8.45 A. M. and 3.00 and 4.50 P. M.

For SHENANDOAH JUNCTION and points on the N. & W. R. R.—9.45 A. M.; 3.00 and 11.45 P. M. daily.

For HARPER'S FERRY and VALLEY DIVISION points—9.45 A. M.; 3.00 and 11.45 P. M., week days only.

For tickets, Pullman reservations and information concerning time of trains and connections, call at the Baltimore & Ohio Depot, Connellsville, Pa.; Tri-State Phone 299.

H. L. DOUGLASS, Ticket Agent.
C. W. ALLEN, Tray. Pass. Agent.

DUNBAR BOWLER BREAKS RECORD.

Malloy First Man in League to Reach 600 Total Mark.

TEAM TAKES THREE GAMES.

Played Circles Around All-Stars in Merchantile League and Amateurs Put It Over the Wright-Metzler Rollers—Dunbar Close to Leaders.

Club Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
All-Stars	14	7	.667
Dunbar	13	8	.619
B. & O. Clerks	11	7	.611
Westmoreland Grocers	8	10	.444
Wright-Metzlers	7	14	.333
Amateurs	7	14	.333

Watch the smoke of that Dunbar team in the Merchantile League! With Malloy breaking league records by rolling the first 600 total and his fellow teammates giving good support, the All-Stars of Connellsville dropped three games in succession last night. Maloy started off with 177 but in succeeding games, piled up 201 and 226, which was going some.

The All-Stars dropped three in a row and their lead on first place was considerably diminished. The score:

All-Stars.

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.	Av.
Opperman	170	183	151	513	171
Means	133	148	127	408	136
Conway	129	146	178	453	151
Miller	125	159	119	403	134
Koehler	104	171	145	420	140
Total	679	804	720	2194	731

Dunbar.

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.	Av.
Maloy	177	201	226	604	201
Pierce	94	155	171	480	160
Porter	170	170	182	522	174
Scott	147	...	141	288	144
Letsenring	169	155	...	324	162
Harper	165	149	314		157
Total	827	840	869	2512	837

Even the Amateurs can wallop that Wright-Metzler team in the Merchantile League for they took two out of three games on the Temple alleys last night, thereby reducing their lead on the last hole and precipitating the Wright-Metzlers nearer the bottom. The score follows:

Amateurs.

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.	Av.
Williams	153	146	182	481	160
Downs	198	131	180	509	169
Flannery	130	153	117	400	133
Fenton	122	127	176	425	142
Young	187	158	174	519	173
Totals	781	715	828	2324	772

Wright-Metzler.

	1st	2nd	3rd	To.	Av.
Hyatt	130	160	166	456	152
Bell	169	150	177	496	165
W. L. Wright	121	110	121	352	117
P. W. Wright	115	153	161	459	153
Moore	166	155	192	513	171
Total	701	728	817	2276	759

MT. PLEASANT HIGH HERE THANKSGIVING.

Will Play Local High School Football Game and Close Contest is Anticipated.

One of the best football games of the season will be played on Thursday afternoon between the High School teams of Connellsville and Mt. Pleasant. Although Connellsville defeated this team by an overwhelming score early in the season, the visitors have strengthened wonderfully and will make the local boys go the limit to win.

On Saturday Mt. Pleasant defeated Uniontown 6 to 0, while the best Connellsville could do a week previous was to hold that team to a tie.

Both Uniontown and Mt. Pleasant are much stronger today than when they played in Connellsville and lost. Over in Mt. Pleasant they are confident of taking the Connellsville boys into camp and there is nervousness in the local camp over the outcome. The boys went through hard practice yesterday afternoon and will keep at it until the time of the game.

SOISSON THEATRE

THANKSGIVING MAT. AND NIGHT

Thursday, NOVEMBER 26th

THE SENSATIONAL MELO-DRAMA

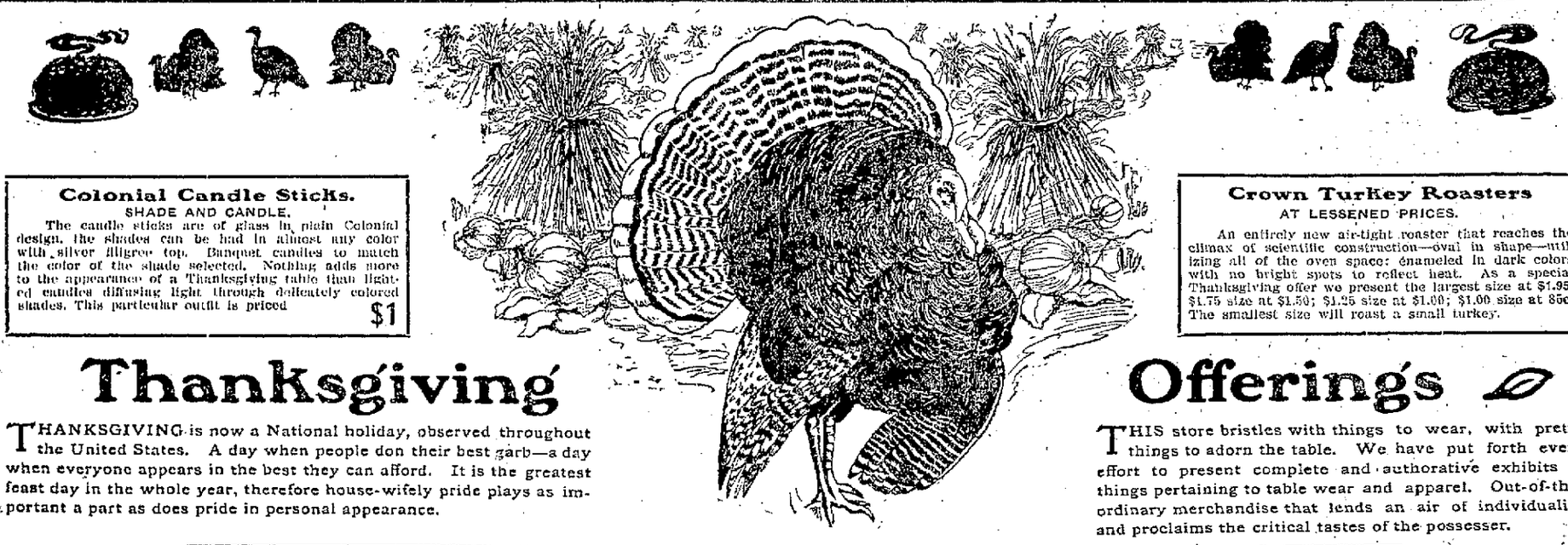
The Boy WITH The Boodle

SEE The Great Mirage Scene. Brooklyn Bridge at Night. The Music Garden, New York.

PRICES—Matinee, 15, 25, 35,50c. Night, 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c

Seats now on sale at Box office of Theatre. Both Phones.

Wright-Metzler Company.



Colonial Candle Sticks.

SHADE AND CANDLE.

The candle sticks are of glass in plain Colonial design, the shades can be had in almost any color with silver filigree top. Banquet candles to match the color of the shade selected. Nothing adds more to the appearance of a Thanksgiving table than lighted candles diffusing light through delicately colored shades. This particular outfit is priced $1

Crown Turkey Roasters

AT LESSENED PRICES.

An entirely new air-tight roaster that reaches the climax of scientific construction—oval in shape—utilizing all of the oven space; enameled in dark colors with no bright spots to reflect heat. As a special Thanksgiving offer we present the largest size at $1.95, $1.75 size at $1.50; $1.25 size at $1.00; $1.00 size at 85c. The smallest size will roast a small turkey.

Thanksgiving Offerings

THANKSGIVING is now a National holiday, observed throughout the United States. A day when people don their best garb—a day when everyone appears in the best they can afford. It is the greatest feast day in the whole year, therefore house-wifely pride plays as important a part as does pride in personal appearance.

THIS store bristles with things to wear, with pretty things to adorn the table. We have put forth every effort to present complete and authorative exhibits of things pertaining to table wear and apparel. Out-of-the-ordinary merchandise that lends an air of individuality and proclaims the critical tastes of the possesser.

It's the Little Things That Count.

Here's a list of the little things of women's attire, important to the appearance of every correctly garbed woman, a helpful little list that may remind you of things you need for the Thanksgiving trip away from home.

Elastic Belts, 25c and 50c
Fancy Fabric Belts, 50c to $2.00.
Women's Hose, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, lisle and silk.
Ruchings, 25c to 50c.
Umbrellas, directoire handles, $2.50 to $5.00.
Jewelry, including hat pins, barrettes, cuff links, sash pins, etc., 10c, 25c, 50c, $1.00 and $1.50.
Women's Gloves, $1, two clasps, in all modish shades.
The Tough Glove $1.50.
16 button Gloves, $3.50.
Veilings, 20 inch widths, 50 c
1½ yard Veilings, $1.
Handkerchiefs, 15c to $1.25.
Special 35c Handkerchiefs, 25c.

The First Thanksgiving Day

In 1621 after the gathering of the first crops in the Plymouth Colony, Governor Bradford sent four men out fowling that they "might, after a fitting manner rejoice together." This was the beginning. The first day set aside in the new continent for the purpose of returning thanks to God for the blessings bestowed upon that devoted little band of Pilgrims. It has become a fixed custom to set aside a day of Thanksgiving beginning with the times of the rebellion and continuin to the present. It is the principle social and home festival day of the entire year. A day that recalls to every christian mind the dependence of the human race upon the mercies of omnipotent power.

We are prone to forget. Worldly things are uppermost in our minds always and it is well that our government takes this decisive means of bringing before us the fact that our efforts can only prove successful and all we may accomplish is due alone to goodness and help of God. In observance of this day our store will remain closed Thursday, November 26.

Don't Rouse His Ire With Dull Carving Tools

Here Are Sets of Keenest Steel.

The meal will go more smoothly if the knife is sharp for a dull knife sharpens the tongue. Prepare for a peaceful meal by procuring the sharpest steel.

Carving Sets with stag handles, 50c, $1.00 and $2.75.

Carving Sets of Rogers 1847 ware, $3.00.

3 Piece Carving Sets, $2.50.

These are all of the finest steel and thoroughly sharp.

Our Footwear at $4

A Few Facts Worth Reading

Some people view shoe values from an angle of dollars and cents. Others first demand satisfaction, fit, style and quality and then ask the price, but viewed from either standpoint these $4 shoes of ours must meet all requirements. They possess quality that would demand $1 more in the small shoe shop. This is not a mere boost, it's a fact that we can thoroughly demonstrate to you. A Wright-Metzler $4 Shoe for man or woman must give better service than ordinary $4 shoes or you get your money back. We buy in large quantities, we know how shoes ought to be made and we have them made that way. It's knowledge of leather and shoe detail coupled with superb buying facilities that gives you this extra shoe value at

$4

Table Linens, Napkins, Tray Cloths, Squares and Fancy Linens.

A few underpriced groups that will add zest to the buying.

A Splendid Showing of Men's Neckwear

In Plain Colors.

Modes in neckwear change with almost kalidescopic rapidity Just now it's plain colors, red, brown, green, navy, grey, purple, etc., all in deep rich tones. We present them both in string ties and fore-in-hands though if anything, four-in-hands have the preference. In addition to the plain colorings, we are showing many advance mid-season designs in figured scarfs. Ours is assuredly a stock from which well informed men will delight to choose. Just inside the door to the right.

Our linen store is at its best. Heaps of snowy linens—silken damasks—napkins ample in size to be protective—then there's the hundreds of fancy pieces such as scarfs, doilies, squares, etc. in hemstitched, stamped, rennaisance and drawn work. Specially priced are the following:

Mercerized Table Linens, 70 inches wide and a 60c value at 50c
72 inch Linen Damask, a regular $1.75 value, at $1.39
72 inch Linen Damask, a regular $1.25 value, at 89c
Linen Napkins, worth $3.50 a dozen, ¾ size, at $2.89

We show in addition matched sets, including table cloth and twelve napkins, also various other qualities of table linens in bleached and unbleached designs. It is a showing worthy of inspection from a viewpoint of scope and economic pricing.

If You're Going to the Football Game

You'll Need a Sweater.

Here are coat sweaters or both men and women that are beautifully woven and the lines of which take from them any appearance of bulkiness. They are in every sense protective and add materially to the appearance out of doors. Slip one of these on and observe how different they are than many bulky, unsightly contraptions that you've heard termed sweaters.

Men's Sweaters, shown in Oxford and white, trimmed with fine pearl buttons, priced from $2.00 to $5.00.

Women's Sweaters, shown in Oxford, white and cardinal and priced at $2.50, $3.50 and $4.50.

Our Apparel Store Is Splendidly Ready to Serve You

With Raiment Absolutely and Critically Correct.

Not a single garment that we will show you but that will present the very smartest of style points particularly new and clever. Little fashion kinks that distinguish and individualize fashionable apparel. Particularly well represented are garments priced at $25, both in men's and women's outer wear. It is easy to distinguish between Wright-Metzler apparel and the mediocre and commonplace types. Finest tailoring, expert designing and critical selection of fabrics remove our garments from the indifferently designed and tailored sorts. Next Thursday is a national holiday and wherever you elect to spend it you must be fittingly and faultlessly attired or you'll feel uncomfortable and ill at ease. Be sure of the correctness of your outer clothes. It's a question of style more than of price, though it is prices as much as style that has brought us the immense volume of business we control both in men's and women's apparel.

China, Cut Glass and Silverware

In a gathering noted for its scope and economy features.

Did you ever spend Thanksgiving down in Maine or any of the other New England States. No? well, it would be well worth your while to do so, just to peep at the Thanksgiving table, but New England enthusiasm is rapidly spreading and Thursday next will bring to a climax the long and careful preparation of many, many housewives throughout the land. "The table" that's the center of attraction, so we've prepared to render "first aid" in table requisites, fine groups of under-priced china. Many specials in cut glass and silverware will bring you the most needed things at goodly savings.

100 Piece Set of Haviland China, $75 value, $64.95
100 Piece Set of English Blue Porcelain $13.00
Rogers 1847 Knives and Forks, vintage pattern, per dozen $10.50
100 Piece Set Decorated Porcelain at $15.00
100 Piece Set Austrain China worth $15 at ..$12.00
Genuine Cut Glasses, ...25c each
$1.25 Silver Gravy Ladels $1.00
Brass, Nickled Crumb Trays and Scrapers ...$1.00

A host of other values that limited space will not allow us to tell of. Our basement is one big Thanksgiving store.